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A RESOURCE GUIDE TO  
MAINE'S MARINE-RELATED ORGANIZATIONS

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## An Introduction to Coastlinks

Maine's nonprofit organizations, associations, and state agencies are working on an impressive array of projects in marine research, coastal conservation, marine education, maritime historical preservation, and marine trades. But all too often, word of these projects doesn't reach the public, or even people working in related fields.

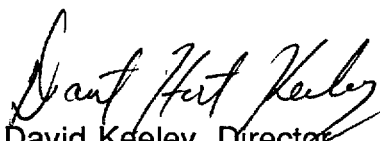
The Maine Coastal Program Resource Guide is intended to help all of us better understand "who is doing what" in Maine's marine-related organizations. The listings here reflect responses made to questionnaires sent out by our office in early spring of 1988. For most entries, information is provided on the organization's goals, its current marine projects or programs, and its available resources (e.g., publications, audiovisual materials, equipment, or consultants). For organizations that did not respond to the questionnaire, only the name and address are listed.

**Coastlinks** is designed to be "user-friendly." The Table of Contents lists the general subject areas into which the guide has been divided. There are also cross-referenced indices so that you may look up organizations alphabetically or by geographic region. The final index lists organizations that offer educational resources.

The Resource Guide contains numerous appendices, including lists of coastal parks, boat ramps, and historical societies, and a brief guide to newspapers and magazines along Maine's coast.

At the end of **Coastlinks** is a sheet that you can fill out to let us know what changes you would like to see in future editions of this guide. There are undoubtedly some organizations that we have neglected to include: we apologize for the oversight but ask that you write us so we will be sure to include these groups in the next edition.

Longtime Maine resident and writer E.B. White once wrote "the sea answers all questions." While this may hold true in the long run, we hope that -- in the meantime -- **Coastlinks** will help with some of your everyday questions about Maine's marine-related organizations.

  
David Keeley, Director  
Maine Coastal Program

  
Flis Schauffler  
Editor, **Coastlinks**

# Aquaria

**Department of Marine Resources**  
**Public Aquarium**  
McKown Point  
W. Boothbay Harbor, ME 04575

*contact:* Jean Chenoweth  
*phone:* 207/633-5572

**goals:** To educate the public about the fish and fisheries of Maine.  
**resources:** Open seven days/week from Memorial Day weekend through Columbus Day. Hours : Monday through Friday 8-5; weekends and holidays 9-5; touch tank; live displays; interpretive material; oceanside picnic area; and public restrooms.

**Gulf of Maine Aquarium**  
Administrative Office: 97A Exchange St.  
PO Box 7549 DTS  
Portland, ME 04112

*contact:* Debra L. Sampson  
*phone:* 207/772-2321

**goals:** To bring marine education into the schools with outreach programs until the Aquarium itself opens (projected date: June 1991).  
**current projects:** In-school slide and live-animal presentations (45 minutes long) focused on marine life found in the Gulf of Maine; and low-tide walks conducted by education program leader at Kettle Cove in Cape Elizabeth (one hour long).

**Maine Aquarium**  
Route One, PO Box 859  
Saco, ME 04072

*contact:* Jeanne Meggison -- Education staff  
*phone:* 207/284-4512

**goals:** To educate the people from Maine and beyond about the world of water.  
**current program:** Open year-round to provide exhibits and educational programs for visitors on local and exotic aquatic habitats, including New England fish, invertebrates, and seals, tropical species of coral reef fishes, sharks, moray eels, penguins, and a giant Pacific octopus.  
**resources:** Educational programs for school classes, scouts, and other groups on topics such as lobstering tidepools of the rocky coast, fishes, penguins, and dangerous marine animals; teacher workshops on marine education; curriculum materials for teachers; and outreach programs to nursing homes and hospitals.

**Mount Desert Oceanarium**  
Clark Point Road  
Southwest Harbor, ME 04679

*contact:* David Mills

*No further information provided.*

## Cooperative Extension Service Offices

**University of Maine  
Cooperative Extension Service (UMCES)**  
9 Coburn Hall, UMO  
Orono, ME 04469

*contact:* Conrad Griffin, Community Development/  
Marine Specialist  
*phone:* 207/581-3181

**goals:** To help local people learn new knowledge and skills, develop leadership abilities, and solve a wide variety of problems using local resources and research-based information from the land-grant/sea-grant university.

**current programs:** Extension agents and specialists provide educational support to citizens, community leaders, and organizations in developing marine programs in coastal resource management, 4-H youth education, "fish as food," and harbor management. Specific programs include work on the sea urchin roe industry, harbor management, and leadership training to influence decision-making on marine policy issues.

**resources:** UMCES has extension faculty serving all coastal and inland counties. Individuals are encouraged to call or write their county Cooperative Extension agents for additional assistance on marine-related issues. The county offices can provide a wide variety of audiovisual materials, leaflets, and pamphlets on marine-related subjects.

**UMCES - Androscoggin/  
Sagadahoc Counties**  
277 Minot Ave.  
Auburn, ME 04210

*contact:* Nancy Coverstone  
*phone:* 207/786-0376

**goals:** See initial UMCES listing.

**current marine projects:** Sponsor periodic conferences on coastal issues (e.g., marine pollution); help coastal communities with organizing and public involvement in the planning process; and sponsor "Teaching in the Out-of-doors" workshops held at the Maine Audubon Society's Newman Sanctuary in Georgetown.

**resources:** See initial UMCES listing.

**UMCES - Cumberland County**  
96 Falmouth Street, USM  
Portland, ME 04103

*contact:* Douglas G. Babkirk  
*phone:* 207/780-4205

**goals:** See initial UMCES listing.

**current marine projects:** Organizational assistance (in communications and research) to Maine harbormasters and shellfish harvesters.

**resources:** Staff to assist groups in organizing, running effective meetings, solving problems, and connecting with University researchers; marine education publications for youth and adults.

**UMCES - Hancock County**  
Boggy Brook Road, RFD 5  
Ellsworth, ME 04605

*contact:* Ben Baxter  
*phone:* 207/667-8212

**goals:** See initial UMCES listing.

**current marine projects:** Clam survey; work with shore harvesters; sea urchin roe study.

**resources:** Shoreharvester's Newsletter, one staff person for marine issues.

**UMCES - Kennebec County**  
125 State Street  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Ira Ellis, Extension Agent  
*phone:* 207/622-7546

**goals:** See initial UMCES listing.

**current projects:** Work with a group of citizens on public policy issues of the Kennebec River and its watershed; formation of the Kennebec River Council (KRIC) which currently has a funding proposal to conduct an economic feasibility study of the River's anadromous fisheries.

**resources:** A booklet entitled "The Fisheries Resources of the Kennebec River."

**UMCES - Knox/Lincoln Counties**  
375 Main Street  
Rockland, ME 04841

*contact:* Leslie C. Hyde, C. Herbert Annis,  
Extension Agents  
*phone:* 207/594-2104

**goals:** See initial UMCES listing.

**current projects:** St. George River Land Trust; coastal growth management; shellfish management (shellfish professional to join staff in 1988); 4-H Earth Connections School Program designed to immerse grades K-8 children in the natural environment (includes forests, freshwater, and marine); Tanglewood 4-H summer camp offers youths a marine focus.

**resources:** Videotapes; pamphlets; newsletters; courses; workshops; reference library; and referral to other agencies and groups.

**UMCES - Penobscot County/  
Penobscot County 4-H**  
Court House Annex, 105 Hammond St.  
Bangor, ME 04401

*contact:* Beth Parks  
*phone:* 207/942-7396

**goals:** To provide out-of-school, learning-by-doing educational activities for boys and girls aged 9-19.

**current marine programs:** A one-week summer camp is periodically offered in Brooksville, using an ecosystem approach to teach youngsters about environmental interdependence.

**UMCES - Waldo County**  
RFD 2, Box 641  
Belfast, ME 04915

*contact:* William Weber  
*phone:* 207/342-5971

**goals:** See initial UMCES listing.

**current project:** Natural resource inventory workshops.

**resources:** See initial UMCES listing.

**UMCES - York County**  
Court House Annex  
Alfred, ME 04002

*contact:* Eileen Conlon, Leanna Preston  
*phone:* 207/324-2814

**goals:** See initial UMCES listing.

**current marine projects:** Vaughn's Island Camping Program, teaching young people about the marine environment; Earth Connections, an environmental education program for youth; and organizational assistance to community groups through the community development program.

**resources:** Curriculum materials; audio-visual materials; and educational and organizational assistance.



## Educational and Research Organizations

**Abnaki Girl Scout Council**  
141 North Main Street  
Brewer, ME 04412

*contact:* Jo Stevens, Executive Director  
*phone:* 207/989-7474

**goals:** An informal, educational program designed to meet the needs and interests of girls

**current marine programs:** Girl Scouts are involved in beach cleanups during Coastweek, and do marine study activities at Girl Scout day and residential camps. In outdoor activities, Girl Scouts are encouraged to use resources wisely and to protect and improve the world around them.

**resources:** Girl Scout handbooks and UMWELT, a booklet (designed by a Girl Scout volunteer) of marine-related activities to be done with girls aged 5-12.

**Acadia Institute of Oceanography**  
Seal Harbor, ME 04675

*contact:* George Hahn

*No further information provided.*

**Allied Whale**  
College of the Atlantic  
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

*contact:* Steve Katona, Judy Beard  
*phone:* 207/288-5644

**goals:** Research and education dealing with marine mammals, particularly whales.

**current programs:** Curate North Atlantic Humpback Whale Fluke Catalogue; curate North Atlantic Finback Whale Catalogue; run Mt. Desert Rock Marine Research Station; and conduct general research on migrations, populations, and life histories of whales, porpoises, and seals.

**resources:** Slide show for rent (\$12 for one week); speakers available by arrangement; and Whales-on-Wheels outreach program (see listing for the Natural History Museum at COA).

**Association for Research  
on the Gulf of Maine (ARGO - Maine)**  
c/o Bigelow Laboratories, McKown Point  
W. Boothbay Harbor, ME

*contact:* David Townsend  
*phone:* 207/633-2173

**goals:** A consortium of academic, private, and governmental organizations dedicated to promoting and coordinating marine research on the Gulf of Maine

**current programs:** Research using the 80-foot vessel, R/V ARGO MAINE, and periodic conferences.

**resources:** The R/V ARGO MAINE, and other research facilities of consortium members.

**Atlantic Center  
for the Environment**  
39 South Main Street  
Ipswich, MA 01938

*contact:* Brent Mitchell, Kathleen  
Blanchard, Tom Horn  
*phone:* (for T. Horn) 802/457-2818  
*phone:* 508/356-0038

**goals:** To promote resource management through year-round education, and policy and research programs in Atlantic Canada, Eastern Quebec, and Northern New England (using an intern workforce).

**current marine programs:** Marine bird conservation project; seabird research, information, and education; shorebird surveys and related environmental projects; Ocean Horizons Youth Camps (in Newfoundland); and a US/UK Countryside Stewardship Seminar in 1987 (involving Washington County, ME).

**resources:** Educational poster series -- Atlantic Naturalist, Alcids of the North Atlantic, and one planned on Sandy Beach Ecology; Journal -- Nexus, quarterly on natural resource issues, many of them marine; workshops -- occasionally on coastal issues; inter-regional exchange and policy program.

**Bigelow Laboratory for  
Ocean Sciences**  
McKown Point  
W. Boothbay Harbor, ME 04575

*contact:* Jennifer W. Logan  
*phone:* 207/633-2173

**goals:** A private, nonprofit facility that seeks to undertake basic research on the biological, chemical, and physical processes that determine ocean productivity; to contribute to studies of the ocean atmosphere system in relation to global climate and environmental changes; and to provide information for developing rational means for conserving and managing living resources of coastal seas.

**current projects:** An ecological characterization of intertidal resources at Acadia National Park ; a study of phytoplankton in the Gulf of Maine (which produce sulfur compounds that precede acid rain; and numerous fisheries-related studies.

**resources:** Bigelow Laboratory Associates, a membership program; a summer lecture series; the joint Bigelow Lab/DMR Marine Research Library (contact P. Shephard-Lupo at the phone number listed above); workshops sponsored by the Center for Marine Phytoplankton Research and the Flow Cytometry/Sorting Facility; the biannual Lab Log newsletter.

**Bowdoin College Environmental  
Studies Program**  
Bowdoin College  
Brunswick, ME 04011

*contact:* Becky Koulouris

**goals:** To demonstrate the global scope and local impact of selected environmental issues and provide students with a broad range of integrated, analytical skills.

**current programs:** Double major (with another discipline) and minor A.B. programs; and independent study projects with environmental and marine organizations.

**resources:** Bethel Point Marine Research Station; resource room with environmental periodicals; and an environmental lecture series.

**Chewonki Foundation**  
RR 2, Box 1200  
Wiscasset, ME 04578

*contact:* Tim Ellis, Don Hudson  
*phone:* 207/882-7323

**goals:** A nonprofit educational institution offering programs that encourage participants to gain a sense of community, and heighten their interest in and understanding of the natural world.

**current marine programs:** (1) "Fins and Flippers" -- a classroom presentation in which students learn about marine mammals while assembling a 16-foot Pilot Whale skeleton; (2) Mariner Program -- two 3.5-week cruises in traditional open sailing boats along Maine's coast from Wiscasset to Jonesport. Cruises involve natural history and coastal issues education; and (3) Maine Coast Semester -- a semester option for gifted 11th grade students, with a strong component of coastal issues and natural history.

**resources:** Five-day residential environmental education programs; ten outreach natural history presentations for classrooms; boys' summer camp (of 225); co-ed wilderness trips for teens; family wilderness trips for all ages; and a 400-acre peninsula on Montsweag Bay, with cabins, some dorm facilities, a large dining area, and a natural history center.

**College of the Atlantic  
Environmental Education Program**  
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

*contact:* Peter Corcoran  
*phone:* 207/288-5015

*No further information provided.*

**Friedman Field Station  
of Suffolk University**  
PO Box 41A  
Edmunds, ME 04628

*contact:* Carl Merrill, R. Lester Seeley  
*phone:* 207/726-4749

**goals:** To educate students through field-oriented courses and programs, and to enhance their understanding and appreciation of coastal areas.

**current programs:** Undergraduate courses in ecology, marine biology, and scuba; Elderhostel programs focusing on marine ecology, marine pollution, and coastal folklore; marine science field experience for teens; and special cooperative high school programs in marine science.

**resources:** Three fully-equipped classrooms, laboratory, seawater circulating system, holding tanks, housing/dining facilities, small library, and two Boston Whalers.

**Gulf of Maine Marine Education  
Association (GOMMEA)**  
Box 2652  
South Portland, ME 04106

*contact:* Persis Plaisted, President or Mary  
Cerullo, Secretary  
*phone:* 603/868-2623 or 207/284-4512

**goals:** An organization of classroom teachers, museum curators, resource specialists in public agencies and universities and marine educators who share their knowledge of the Gulf of Maine.

**current projects:** Marine education workshops, and an annual conference in the fall.

**resources:** Quarterly newsletter, "The Gulf Stream"; marine curriculum materials; part of a national network of 800 marine educators (the National Marine Educator's Association).

**Hardwood Island  
Biological Station**

Mount Desert, ME 04660

*winter address:* Maine Island Ecology, Academy of Natural Sciences, Nineteenth and the Parkway,  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

*contact:* C.W. Eliot Paine

*phone:* none

**goals:** The Academy of Natural Sciences sponsors "Maine Island Ecology," a three-week summer program for qualified high school students (grades 10-12).

**current program:** Two three-week sessions that include instruction in marine ecology, and introduction to the natural history and cultural heritage of Maine's coast.

**resources:** Large laboratory, two dorm houses, and a 500-volume library.

**Hurricane Island  
Outward Bound School**

Box 429, Mechanic Street

Rockland, ME 04841

*contact:* Philip Chin, Carole Ryden

*phone:* 207/594-5548

**goals:** To provide challenging activities that bring out the best in people, and to pull individuals together as a team, learning by experience.

**current programs:** Sailing and sea kayaking courses (highlighting marine life and island environments), based in Penobscot Bay, for ages 15 and over. Courses are held from May to October, and last from one week to three months.

**resources:** Videos, speakers, brochures, and a schedule of courses.

**Institute for Quaternary Studies**

University of Maine at Orono, 304 Boardman Hall  
Orono, ME 04469

*contact:* Harold W. Borns, Jr.

*No further information provided.*

**Ira C. Darling Center**

Walpole, ME 04573

*contact:* Dr. Les Watling, Director

*phone:* 207/563-3146

**goals:** Serving as the University of Maine's marine laboratory, the Center is committed to marine research, teaching, and interaction with public school science teachers.

**current projects:** Research on aquaculture hatchery techniques; benthic marine ecology; coastal geomorphology; shellfish genetics; saltmarshes; lobster-rearing; submersible work in the Gulf of Maine; DBP toxicity and degradation; and more.

**resources:** Laboratories and limited dorm facilities may be used by visiting investigators; fleet of small boats; extensive library and reprint collection; and an aquaculture building.

**Kennebec Girl Scout Council**

PO Box 206

Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107

*contact:* Kathy Zielinski

*No further information provided.*

**Land and Water  
Resources Center**  
11 Coburn Hall, University of Maine at Orono  
Orono, ME 04469

*contact:* Sherman Hasbrouck  
*phone:* 207/581-1490

**goals:** To provide leadership and focus to research efforts dealing with terrestrial and freshwater resources; and to help in the application and transfer of these research results.

**current marine projects:** The Center is preparing an informational digest entitled "Access to Coastal and Inland Water; the Public Use of Private Land."

**resources:** Informational digests related to both land and water resources. A slide program on the state's natural resources is available. A Directory of Maine's Natural Resource Organizations is also available (for \$2).

**Landing School of Boatbuilding  
and Design**  
P.O. Box 1490  
Kennebunkport, ME 04046

*contact:* John Burgess, Judy McMahon  
*phone:* 207/985-7976

**goals:** To prepare students for employment in the marine industry as designers, builders, or repairers of recreational and commercial watercraft.

**current programs:** Yacht and commercial boat design; traditional wooden boatbuilding.

**resources:** Slideshow/presentations and demonstrations on wooden boat construction and techniques.

**L.L. Bean Community Classes**  
L.L. Bean Inc.  
Freeport, ME 04033

*contact:* Michael Perry

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Environmental Education Association**  
c/o Chewonki Foundation  
Wiscasset, ME 04578

*contact:* Don Hudson

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Maritime Academy**  
Castine, ME 04420

*contact:* Loren Mitchell, PR Director  
*phone:* 207/326-4311

**goals:** A college specializing in ocean- and marine-oriented programs at the undergraduate and graduate level, with emphasis on engineering, transportation, management, and ocean science.

**current projects:** MMA owns and operates the 80-foot, steel-hulled oceanographic research vessel ARGO MAINE and is a member of the Association for Research on the Gulf of Maine.

**resources:** MMA's waterfront is suited to provide laboratory support for some research operations. There is also a Maine Maritime Conference Center that can provide lodging, meals, and meeting space for scientific gatherings.

**Maine Science Teachers Association**  
c/o Van Buren High School  
Box 241  
Van Buren, ME 04785

*contact:* Earl Coombs

*No further information provided.*

**Marine Law Institute**  
University of Southern Maine  
246 Deering Avenue  
Portland, ME 04102

*contact: Alison Reiser*

*No further information provided.*

**Migratory Fish Research Institute**  
University of Maine at Orono, 254 Hitchner Hall  
Orono, ME 04469

*No further information provided.*

**Mount Desert Island  
Biological Laboratory**  
PO Box 35, Old Bar Harbor Road  
Salisbury Cove, ME 04672

*contact: Dr. Donald A. McCrimmon,  
Associate Director  
phone: 207/288-3605*

**goals:** An independent research facility studying diverse aspects of comparative marine molecular physiology and toxicology.

**current projects:** Membrane toxicity studies that probe the impact of heavy metals on cell membrane and transport processes; proposal submitted to sample fish populations and pollutant levels in fresh and marine waters of Mount Desert Island.

**resources:** Printed materials describing the lab are available upon request. Tours of the facilities can be arranged with ample advance notice. Administrative staff are available to address civic groups concerning the laboratory and its research.

**Mr. & Mrs. Fish**  
SMVTI, Fort Road  
South Portland, ME 04106

*contact: Jeff Sandler  
phone: 207/799-6234*

**goals:** To excite and educate school children, teachers, and the general public about our ocean resources.

**current program:** Mr. & Mrs. Fish costume themselves as a variety of sea creatures, humorously acting out life as it is in the sea. Programs are geared for elementary-age students and their families.

**resources:** Based at SMVTI in South Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Fish sometimes host groups in their building. More often, they offer in-school presentations, and evening family programs for communities.

**National Audubon Society (Expeditions)**  
RFD 1, Box 149B  
Lubec, ME 04652

*contact: Libby Sciacchitano  
phone: 207/733-8811 or  
203/364-0522*

**goals:** To train environmental educators who will be able to train others to value all life, particularly marine life.

**current programs:** Full-year expeditions that are consensus communities, studying various subjects as they travel. One course focuses on the interdependencies of marine ecology.

**The Natural History Museum at COA**  
College of the Atlantic, Route 3  
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

*contact:* Vicki Nichols  
*phone:* 207/288-5015

**goals:** To instill a conservation ethic, improve scientific education, enhance scientific knowledge, and provide a resource for exploring natural history.

**current programs:** Whales-on-Wheels and the Naugahyde Whale (marine-oriented outreach programs for schools); marine exhibit preparation and interpretation; involvement in Coastweek and Sea Grant.

**resources:** Whales-on-Wheels -- a hands-on exhibit of a 20-foot Minke whale skeleton where participants assemble the bones; Naugahyde Whale -- a 10-foot-long foam and fabric replica of a Pilot whale; Natural History Museum tours; outdoor nature activities; evening natural history lecture series in July/August; summer field studies for children entering grades 4, 5, and 6.

**National Audubon Society - Research and Sanctuaries**

*winter:* 159 Sapsucker Woods Road, Ithaca, NY 14850  
*summer:* Keene Neck Rd., Medomak, ME 04551

*contact:* Stephen Kress  
*phone:* 607/257-7308 (Sept.-May)  
207/529-5828 (June-August)

**goals:** To protect the Maine coast's seabird nesting islands, conduct research that has conservation value for managing seabirds and to educate the general public about Maine's marine ecology.

**current projects:** Protection of ten important seabird nesting islands; research and management programs to restore populations of Atlantic puffins, Arctic, roseate, and common terns on four islands; resident Maine Coast Ecology classes on Hog Island; and seabird/wildlife boat trips from Boothbay Harbor to New Harbor.

**resources:** Egg Rock Update (annual newsletter of the National Audubon Society); Puffin Project which reviews research and sanctuary activities in Maine; brochure on the Audubon Camp in Maine listing current courses of instruction (available from National Audubon Camp in Maine, 613 Riverside Road, Greenwich, CT 06830; 203/869-5272).

**Northeast Marine Education Project**  
206 Shibles Hall, College of Education  
University of Maine  
Orono, ME 04469

*contact:* Michael Brody  
*phone:* 207/581-2434

**goals:** To develop, evaluate, and disseminate marine education curriculum materials and conduct marine-related educational research activities.

**current programs:** Northern New England Marine Educational Curriculum Materials; assessment of student knowledge related to the Gulf of Maine; Teacher Inservice Activities; Marine Education Summer Institute.

**resources:** Printed curriculum materials and video tapes; research reports; teacher inservice programs.

**Pine Tree Boy Scout Council**  
125 Auburn  
Portland, ME 04103

*No further information provided.*

**The Quoddy Tides Foundation**  
123 Water St.  
Eastport, ME 04631

*contact:* John Pike Grady,  
Mrs. Winifred B. French  
*phone:* 207/853-4806

**current programs:** Marine Library; aquarium with local marine animals; a "touch me" tank (note: open only during summer)

**resources:** Small scholarship to the Marine Trades Center in Eastport (WCVTI).

**Restoration of Atlantic Salmon  
in America, Inc. (RASA)**  
PO Box 164  
Hancock, NH 03449

*contact:* Richard A. Buck, Chairman  
*phone:* 603/563-8051

**goals:** To help conserve and restore Atlantic salmon in the rivers and waters of North America, and as far offshore as the stocks may range.

**current projects:** The RASA chairman currently serves as a limited states' commissioner to the North Atlantic Conservation Organization, the operating mechanism of the new Atlantic salmon treaty.

**resources:** Service as a voluntary consultant in work towards Atlantic salmon conservation and restoration; work with federal/state agencies, private organizations, and individuals.

**The Rockport Apprenticeship**  
PO Box 539, Sea Street  
Rockport, ME 04856

*contact:* Karen Van Allsburg, Missy Hatch  
*phone:* 207/236-6071

**goals:** To perpetuate maritime skills, training youth through and for boatbuilding and seamanship; documentation of past and present boats, methods, and maritime culture.

**current projects:** Exchange project with Norway (Norwegian boatbuilders will come to Maine and apprentices will go there); building a French gig to be presented to young French by young Americans; and summer classes.

**resources:** "The Apprentice" (journal); lecture series throughout the winter; library; summer courses; boat plans; line drawings; small craft prints; monographs; books for purchase.

**Sea Grant College Program**  
University of Maine  
30 Coburn Hall, UMO  
Orono, ME 04469

*contact:* Kathleen Lignell, Communications  
Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/581-1440

**goals:** The Sea Grant Program is a statewide cooperative effort in marine research, education, and advisory service activities that focus on the coastal and marine opportunities of the Gulf of Maine.

**current projects:** Maine's Sea Grant program conducts research on fisheries management and development (e.g., aquaculture and lobster behavior); changes in the coastal environment (e.g., coastal erosion, and tide patterns); and industrial and commercial development (e.g., port development and marine recreation).

**resources:** Researchers, Marine Advisory Program personnel, and marine science educators are available as speakers; communications office has a directory of the booklets available, plus brochures, posters, reports, books, videotapes, and other materials. The Sea Grant Communications Office disseminates scientific and technical information from Sea Grant research, and responds to informational requests.

**Shoals Marine Laboratory**  
*winter:* G-14 Stimson Hall, Cornell University,  
Ithaca, NY 14853

*contact:* John B. Heiser, Christine C. Bogdanowicz  
*phone:* 607/255-3717 (summer)

*summer:* PO Box 88, Portsmouth, NH 03801 (located on Appledore Island, Isles of Shoals)

**goals:** The Shoals Marine Laboratory was founded as a cooperative venture between Cornell University and the University of New Hampshire that strives to provide quality marine education to college undergraduates and beginning graduate students

**current programs:** Offer credit courses in a wide range of marine subjects (e.g., field marine science, marine vertebrates, coastal and oceanic law & policy; wetlands resources; underwater archaeology; adaptations of marine organisms; and marine microbial ecology). Offers non-credit courses for families and adults on subjects such as nature photography, island bird study, and marine mammals. Ongoing research projects include cormorant colony dynamics, and sea urchin/codium interactions.

**resources:** Library; laboratory space (for 60); three dormitories; a compressed air system for scuba divers; two Boston Whalers, a 19-foot sailboat, and the R/V John M. Kingsbury.



**Southern Maine Vocational Technical  
Institute - Marine Science Department**  
Fort Road  
South Portland, ME 04106

*contact:* Robert E. Goode  
*phone:* 207/799-7303

**goals:** To provide two-year, Applied Science Associates Degrees and Diplomas.

**current programs:** Programs in Nautical Science, Marine Engineering, and Applied Marine Biology and Oceanography.

**resources:** 144-foot research/training ship; equipped laboratories for biology, oceanography, and chemistry; various small craft; and a pier that can accommodate ships under 200 feet.

**Stone Environmental School**  
PO Box 165  
Ocean Park, ME 04063

*contact:* Duane Bond, Executive Director  
*phone:* 207/934-4064

**goals:** A nonprofit organization committed to stimulating personal growth through exploration of various natural areas.

**current programs:** Residential and day programs offering classes in ocean study, saltmarshes, stream and pond investigations, and other areas.

**resources:** Location near Saco Bay with 190 acres of saltmarsh and 150 acres of diverse forest; winterized dorm facilities.

**University of Maine  
Center for Marine Studies**  
14 Coburn Hall, UMO  
Orono, ME 04469

*contact:* Dr. Robert Wall, Director  
*phone:* 207/581-1435

**goals:** To provide leadership in developing research programs, with an emphasis on the Gulf of Maine, its coastal zone, and other related cold-water regions.

**current projects:** Research on the Gulf of Maine, and graduate studies. Contact for information on specific projects.

**resources:** The Center provides direction for the Joint Institutional Sea Grant Program and the Ira C. Darling Center in Walpole (see separate listing).

**University of Maine at Machias**  
9 O'Brien Avenue  
Machias, ME 04654

*contact:* Brian F. Beal, M. Gayle Kraus  
*phone:* 207/255-3313, ext. 289

**goals:** To serve the educational and cultural needs of the people in Downeast Maine.

**current marine programs:** UMM is involved with two marine community outreach programs serving in a technical advisory role for the Cutler Marine Lobster Hatchery and the Beals Island Regional Shellfish Hatchery.

**resources:** Geographic proximity to every type of marine ecosystem that occurs in Maine.

**University of Southern Maine  
Gulf of Maine Course**  
96 Falmouth Street  
Portland, ME 04103

*contact:* Michael Hamilton, Dept. of Political  
Science  
*phone:* 207/780-4190

**goals:** To provide high-quality education for persons in Maine.

**current program:** "The Gulf of Maine" (COR 116) is an interdisciplinary, undergraduate course offered in the spring semester for 3 credits. It examines the competing demands and management policies for use of the ocean and coastal resources in the Gulf, in the context of relations with Canada. Special and nontraditional students are welcome.

**resources:** A course syllabus and listing of readings are available from the contact person listed above. A book of compiled readings is available from the USM bookstore (in Portland). The anthology is titled Core Readings: The Gulf of Maine (edited by Jill Bubier, Irwin Novak, and Michael Hamilton).

**Washington County Vocational Technical  
Institute - Marine Trades Center**  
Deep Cove, Eastport, ME 04631

*contact:* Thomas Duym, Division Head, MTC  
*phone:* 207/853-2518

**goals:** To successfully train people for Maine's marine industry.

**current programs:** Boatbuilding (two-year program); marine painting (one-year program). There will soon be a one-year Marine Mechanics' program. An aquaculture program is planned for the future.

**resources:** Library; waterfront facilities; Travelift crane.

**West Quoddy Biological Research Station**  
PO Box 9  
Lubec, ME 04652

*contact:* Dorothy R. Spero, Director  
*phone:* 207/733-8895

**goals:** To provide a facility for quality field research and the development and exchange of ideas that will lead to better human understanding of, and respect for, the natural world. To promote research, education, and wildlife rehabilitation of the West Quoddy/Bay of Fundy region.

**current projects:** Studies on the indigenous and migratory species, with emphasis on marine mammals; programs for rescue and rehabilitation of injured/orphaned marine wildlife (with the intent to release recovered animals); and educational programs to provide and inform the public of the area's natural resources.

**White River Salmon Association**  
PO Box 177  
White River Junction, VT 05001

*contact:* Andrew Stout, President  
*phone:* 802/296-2644

**goals:** To support the Cooperative (state/federal) Atlantic Salmon Restoration Program, as well as implementing scientific and educational programs for enhancing the restoration effort in the White River.

**current projects:** Work with habitat surveys and population estimates to determine the growth, available nursery units, and holding pools, as well as enhancing the survival rate in fresh and marine environments.

**resources:** Telephone contact; published documents upon request.

**WoodenBoat School**  
PO Box 78, Naskeag Road  
Brooklin, ME 04616

*contact:* Ben Ellison, Karen Jackson  
*phone:* 207/359-4651

**goals:** To teach wooden boat construction, seamanship, and related crafts to both amateur and professional boatbuilders, sailors, and interested individuals.

**current programs:** One- and two-week courses in boatbuilding, seamanship, and related subjects.

**resources:** Free catalog with complete description of the more than fifty courses; 44-acre campus with three shops, waterfront facilities, and a dormitory.

## Environmental Organizations

**Casco Bay Greens**  
535 Ocean Ave.  
Portland, ME 04103

*contact:* Ronald Feintech

*No further information provided.*

**Casco Bay Island  
Development Association, Inc.**  
P.O. Box 62  
Peaks Island, ME 04108

*contact:* Jean Dyer, President or  
Gretchen Hall, Secretary  
*phone:* 207/766-3381

**goals:** To be a voice for the community of Casco Bay Islands, expressing concern for the ecology of Casco Bay and the economic health of the fishing industry.

**current programs:** An advocacy program to clean up the discharge of sewage into Casco Bay; May 1988 conference on Casco Bay involving state and municipal agencies, and private and non-profit groups.

**resources:** The knowledge of what it means to live on (and, in the case of some CBIDA members, make a living on) the islands of Casco Bay.

**Center for Coastal Studies**  
Box 826  
Provincetown, MA 02657

*No further information provided.*

**Conservation Law Foundation  
of New England, Inc. (CLF)**  
3 Joy Street  
Boston, MA 02108

*contact:* Paul Hauge, Emily Bateson  
*phone:* 617/742-2540

**goals:** The use of law to further the protection and wise management of all of New England's natural resources.

**current marine projects:** Clean Water Act enforcement actions; NPDES permit challenge on Great Diamond Island in Casco Bay; Study of pollution in Casco Bay

**resources:** Legal action in court and agency proceedings; studies on toxic contamination of fish/shellfish and on the economic impacts of shellfish closures.

**Damariscotta River Association**  
Box 134  
Walpole, ME 04573

*contact:* Rebecca Brown  
*phone:* 207/644-8154

**goals:** To educate on issues related to preserving the critical natural resources of the Damariscotta River watershed.

**current projects:** Land conservation trust; seminar series; and a "River watch" program to ensure compliance with shoreland zoning restrictions.

**Earth First!**  
c/o Gulf of Maine Books  
61 Main Street  
Brunswick, ME 04011

*contact: Gary Lawless*

*No further information provided.*

**Environmental Law Institute**  
University of Maine  
246 Deering Avenue  
Portland, ME 04102

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Association of Conservation Commissions**  
74 Main Street  
Yarmouth, ME 04096

*contact: Bill Seretta*

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Audubon Society**  
118 U.S. Route One, Gillsland Farm  
Falmouth, ME 04105

*contact: Marine Program Director or  
Bill Hancock, Public Information  
phone: 207/781-2330*

**goals:** To promote the wise use of Maine's environment through research, education, and advocacy.  
**current programs:** Shorebird habitat restoration and protection; shellfish management and public aquaculture; pollution abatement advocacy; wetland protection advocacy; Sea Fair, an annual marine education festival held during Coastweek (early October).

**resources:** Information on coastal sanctuaries; Scarborough Marsh Nature Center (open to the public from mid-June to Labor Day; school programs for K-12 during May and June); Mast Landing Nature Day Camp has a two-week "Wonders of Water" session for children in grades 3-5; Habitat, a journal published seven times/year, covers some marine topics; a Teacher's Resource Center offers marine and environmental curriculum for teachers of K-12; and field trips, many of them along the coast.

**Maine Audubon - Downeast Chapter**  
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

*contact: Nina Gormley*

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Audubon - Penobscot Chapter**  
125 North Main Street  
Orono, ME 04473

*contact: Alice Kelley*

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Audubon - Schoodic Chapter**  
RFD 1, Box 149A  
Lubec, ME 04652

*contact: Nancy Nielson*

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Coast Heritage Trust**  
167 Park Row, Brunswick, ME 04011  
PO Box 426, Northeast Harbor, ME 04662

*contact:* James J. Espy, Jr., President  
207/729-7366 (Brunswick)  
*phone:* 207/276-5156 (NE Harbor.)

**goals:** To protect land that is essential to the character of Maine, particularly along its coastline and on its islands.

**current programs:** Ongoing programs to assist landowners who wish to voluntarily conserve important coastal lands, and programs to assist communities and local land trusts in conserving important local land resources.

**resources:** Nine employees in two offices who provide direct assistance and drafting to landowners, land trusts, and policy makers. Special expertise in negotiating conservation easements and in negotiating the acquisition of protected lands.

**Maine Green Party**  
RFD 2, Box 245  
Gardiner, ME 04345

*contact:* Alan Philbrook

*No further information provided.*

**Merrymeeting Audubon Society**  
**A Chapter of National Audubon**  
RFD 3, Box 2710  
Wiscasset, ME 04578

*contact:* Tom Gardiner

*No further information provided.*

**Merrymeeting Greens**  
RFD 1, Box 73  
Bowdoinham, ME 04008

*contact:* John Rensenbrink

*No further information provided.*

**Mid-Coast Audubon Society**  
**A Chapter of National Audubon**  
Box 862  
Rockland, ME 04841

*contact:* C.W. Provost, President  
*phone:* 207/354-6817

**goals:** To understand and preserve Maine's natural environment along the coast through education, demonstration, publications, and leadership.

**current projects:** Audubon Adventures (for grades 3-6); 3-4 scholarships to the National Audubon Ecology Camp; Audubon Explorers' summer program (for ages 10-15); adult education courses; 15 coastal and marine field trips; ecology workshops; management of two coastal wildlife refuges; and construction of cavity nest boxes.

**resources:** Library with five films and VHS environmental programs for loan; 20 slide-illustrated programs on a wide range of nature subjects with presenters, speakers' bureau, and naturalists/field trip leaders available; monthly programs open to public; and a bi-monthly newsletter.

**National Audubon Society**  
Northeast Regional Office  
RR 1, Box 171  
Sharon, CT 06069

*No further information provided.*

**Natural Resources Council of Maine**  
271 State Street  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Beth Nagusky, Staff Attorney  
*phone:* 207/622-3101

**goals:** The Council is a non-profit, independent citizen's organization dedicated to protecting Maine's environment through a program of advocacy, education, and legal defense.

**current marine projects:** The Council is involved in a variety of advocacy efforts including protection of marine resources and marine-based industry, and work on coastal growth management. It has been active on issues such as overboard discharge, wetlands, sand dunes, and offshore oil development.

**resources:** A monthly newsletter, Maine Environment.

**New England Interstate Water  
Pollution Control Commission**  
85 Merrimac Street  
Boston, MA 02116

*contact:* Ronald Poltak  
*phone:* 617/367-8522

**goals:** To provide guidance and assistance to the New England states in protecting surface and groundwater resources.

**current programs:** Technical assistance in wetlands protection; underground storage tank program; groundwater protection program; and assistance in the development of a state revolving loan program under the Federal Water Quality Act.

**resources:** Publications, slide shows, video cassettes, and films on underground storage tanks, groundwater protection, acid precipitation, and wastewater treatment plant operation; a quarterly newsletter on regional and national water-related issues.

**Northeast Audubon Society**  
PO Box 896  
Presque Isle, ME 04769

*contact:* Steve Selva

*No further information provided.*

**Outdoor Ethics Guild**  
General Delivery  
Bucks Harbor, ME 04618

*contact:* Bruce Bandurski

*No further information provided.*

**Pemaquid Watershed Association**  
PO Box 552  
Damariscotta, ME 04543

*contact:* Mac Rogers, Doris Balant  
*phone:* 207/529-5395 or 563-1216

**goals:** To protect and enhance the beauty of ponds and streams that make up the Pemaquid waterway by guarding against pollution and helping preserve the watershed's environmental health. PWA is also a land trust (see listing in Appendix G).

**Prouts Neck Audubon Society**  
PO Box 3147  
Prouts Neck, ME 04074

*contact:* Mrs. Charles Lee,  
Mr. G. A. Rockefeller  
*phone:* 207/883-2676

**goals:** To protect the coastal islands of Bluff and Stratton, and their bird populations.

**current project:** Reintroduction of common terns and petrels.

**resources:** Note -- this Audubon chapter is active only in summer months (during the birds' breeding season).

**Saco River Corridor Commission**  
PO Box 283  
Cornish, ME 04020

*contact:* Margaret Roy

*No further information provided.*

**Save Our Environment**  
349 Evans Street  
South Portland, ME 04106

*contact:* Gene Gendron

*No further information provided.*

**Sheepscot Valley  
Conservation Association, Inc.**  
P.O. Box 125  
Alna, ME 04535

*contact:* Nicholas Barth  
*phone:* 207/586-6455

**goals:** To protect, preserve, and enhance the natural and cultural resources and ecological balance of the Sheepscot River watershed area.

**current projects:** Land trust; natural resource and cultural inventory of the lower Sheepscot River watershed. Natural resource inventory of the Lower Dyer River watershed.

**resources:** Results of the inventories; SVCA newsletter.

**Sierra Club (Maine Chapter)**  
RR 2, Box 98A  
Freeport, ME 04032

*contact:* Joan B. Saxe  
*phone:* 207/865-3648

**goals:** Grassroots organizing to protect the environment, promote awareness, protect wildlife and the wilderness.

**current marine projects:** (1) Protect the marine habitats and wetlands of Sears Island; (2) help obtain funds for Rachel Carson Wildlife Preserve; and (3) work on the annual coastal cleanup.

**resources:** 1,500 Maine members devoted to environmental issues.

**Straight Bay Association**  
RFD 1, Box 149A  
Lubec, ME 04652

*contact:* Nancy L. Nielsen  
*phone:* 207/733-2194

**goals:** To further an appreciation of the Cobscook Bay area as it exists and to promote occupations and ways of life that are compatible with the bay's environment and culture.

**current projects:** Newsletter; support of educational programs in local schools; coordination of coastal information for members and the public.

**resources:** Library on tidal power issues; speakers.

**The Nature Conservancy:**  
**Maine Chapter**  
P.O. Box 338, 122 Main Street  
Topsham, ME 04086

*contact:* Barbara Vickery, John Albright  
*phone:* 207/729-5181

**goals:** To identify and protect the full array of natural diversity, specifically rare and endangered plant, animal, and natural communities.

**current programs:** Maintenance of 36 island preserves (17 of which are open for careful day use); field trip program (five boat trips offered in 1988).

**resources:** Brochure on use of the Nature Conservancy island preserves; a guidebook to Preserves, called Maine Forever; a Heritage Program data base on the locations of rare and endangered species (land-based ones -- does not include marine flora/fauna).

**The Wildlife Society**  
Hedin Hall, Box 1298  
Bangor, ME 04401

*contact:* Alan G. Clark

*No further information provided.*

**York County Audubon Society**  
**A Chapter of National Audubon**  
Brifham Road  
Eliot, ME 03903

*contact:* Edison Pike

*No further information provided.*



## Marine Trade Organizations

**Maine Aquaculture Association**  
PO Box 535  
Damariscotta, ME 04543

*contact:* Richard Clime, Brian Tarbox  
*phone:* 207/563-8168 or 829-5567

**goals:** To promote aquaculture.

**current projects:** To promote aquaculture among state legislators; to promote programs to preserve coastal access for marine-dependent uses (particularly food production); and to provide information concerning technical advances to our constituents.

**resources:** Speakers, slideshows, etc.

**Maine Fishermen's Cooperative Association**  
53 Ocean View Ave.  
South Portland, ME 04106

*contact:* Arthur J. Odlin  
*phone:* 207/799-5981

**goals:** To represent Maine fishermen in work with federal, state, and local governments to establish fishery policies and promote conservation.

**current projects:** Work with the New England Fishery Management Council in a program of conservation engineering.

**Maine Fishermen's Wives' Association**  
Suite 278, 295 Forest Avenue  
Portland, ME 04101

*contact:* Terry Jordan, President or  
Vicki Hopkins, Vice President  
*phone:* 207/772-6062 (Jordan)  
207/797-9317 (Hopkins)

**goals:** To promote greater understanding of the fishing industry, and to develop more recognition for the fishermen and their products.

**resources:** No resources are available at present; however, plans are underway for a central information office in Portland that would provide written materials.

**Maine Harbor Masters Association**  
Marine Trade Center, Portland Fish Pier, Suite 203  
Portland, ME 04101

*contact:* Alfred Trefry, III  
*phone:* 207/772-4777

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Import•Export  
Lobster Dealer's Association**  
PO Box 235  
Tenants Harbor, ME 04860

*contact:* Peter Larsen, President  
*phone:* 207/372-6331

**goals:** To promote the conservation of stock and the economic well-being of Maine's lobster industry.

**current projects:** Political lobbying to educate and promote a viable lobster fishing industry along Maine's coast, especially in the context of pressure from coastal development.

**Maine Lobstermen's Association**  
Box 607  
Damariscotta, ME 04543

*contact:* Ed Blackmore  
*phone:* 207/563-5254

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Marine Alliance**  
PO Box 189  
South Freeport, ME 04078

*contact:* Arthur Brendze  
*phone:* 207/967-5550

**goals:** To bring together all marine-related organizations to promote marine interests; lobby, educate, and inform the public and public officials about issues of importance to marine interests; and to provide mutual support and communication to members.

**Maine Marine Trades Association**  
PO Box 189  
South Freeport, ME 04078

*contact:* Walton A. Baker, Exec. Secretary  
*phone:* 207/865-4575

**goals:** An association of boat-related businesses (e.g., boatyards, boatbuilders, marinas, sailmakers, yacht brokers, and marine product wholesalers) to promote and protect, through joint membership efforts, the marine businesses of Maine.

**current projects:** Identification of coastal sites suitable for water-dependent businesses (in cooperation with the Maine Coastal Program); ongoing review of legislation relating to marine and coastal issues.

**Maine Recreational Boaters Association**  
30 Exchange Street  
Portland, ME 04101

*contact:* Richard Anderson, President  
*phone:* 207/774-2458

**Maine Sardine Council**  
PO Box 337, 470 N. Main Street  
Brewer, ME 04412

*contact:* Jeff Kaelin, Executive Director  
*phone:* 207/989-2180

**goals:** To promote, develop and stabilize the Maine Sardine Industry through promoting better methods of production, packing, merchandising, and advertising in the industry.

**current projects:** Operates the industry's quality control laboratory; represents the industry's interests before Congress, the Maine Legislature, and federal/state agencies; and promotes consumption of sardines.

**resources:** Information on the economic impact of Maine's sardine industry, as well as other sectors of Maine and New England's fishing industry; occasional modest grants for research that will benefit fisheries management in Maine.

**Maine Science and Technology Board**  
One Memorial Circle  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Tish Tanski  
*phone:* 207/622-6345

**goals:** To improve Maine's economic competitiveness through access to science and technology.

**current marine projects:** Technology development grant to the Maine Fishermen's Forum to develop hydroacoustical fish population survey technology and to analyze the effectiveness of square mesh nets.

**resources:** Grants are available for a range of industries: since 1986, marine and aquaculture projects have received 45 percent of available funding. Two or three "Centers of Innovation" may be developed in the future to provide more grants.

**Maine Weirman's Association**  
Milbridge, ME 04658

*contact:* Bertram Crosby

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Windjammer Association**  
PO Box 317  
Rockport, ME 04856

*contact:* George Douglas, William Hines  
*phone:* 1-800-624-6380

**goals:** To continue the golden age of sail and increase coastal tourism.

**resources:** Brochures on the windjammers and video tapes of windjammers sailing in Penobscot Bay.

**Pound Keeper's Association**  
c/o Keene Narrow Lobster, Inc.  
Keene Neck Road  
Medomak, ME 04551

*contact:* Loyall Sewall

*No further information provided.*

## Maritime History Museums/Historical Associations

**Downeast Maritime Museum**  
P.O. Box 98  
Eastport, ME 04631

*contact:* William Cook, Joyce Weber  
*phone:* 207/726-5048 (Cook)  
207/853-4239 (Weber)

**goals:** To educate the public through documentation and preservation of the Downeast and Maritime Region's unique natural and historical heritage.

**current projects:** Currently, a multi-faceted, regional marine/maritime museum and educational center is being established. By Summer 1988, there will be a few initial exhibits and community programs.

**The Fishermen's Museum**  
Pemaquid Point, ME 04554

*contact:* Mrs. Mary Norton Orrick  
*phone:* 207/677-2494 or 677-2676

**resources:** Displays of fishing techniques, past and present; charts; a lens like the one in the lighthouse; old photographs; boat models and half-models; wall-sized chart of the coast of Maine; and pictures of all Maine's lighthouses with a numbered key showing their locations on the chart.

**Maine Archaeological Society**  
Department of Anthropology  
University of Maine  
Orono, ME 04469

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Citizens for Historic Preservation**  
50 Danforth Street  
Portland, ME 04101

*contact:* Aileen Agnew

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Historic  
Preservation Commission**  
55 Capital Street, Station 65  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Arthur E. Spiess  
*phone:* 207/289-2132

**goals:** To conduct a statewide survey of historic and archaeological resources and to protect these resources.

**current projects:** Coastal surveys for prehistoric and historic archaeological sites, including Native American shell-heaps, early colonial settlements, and shipwrecks. Analysis of prehistoric food animal remains (shellfish, fish, marine mammals, birds) from coastal shell-heaps.

**resources:** Historic and prehistoric site inventories, as well as architectural inventories; evolving state plan (2 volumes) establishing survey and protection priorities; early photograph archives; slide collections; bibliographies; file survey reports; published scientific studies.

**Maine Historical Society**  
485 Congress Street  
Portland, ME 04101

*contact:* Elizabeth J. Miller, Director  
*phone:* 207/774-1822

**goals:** To collect, preserve, and teach the history of Maine.

**resources:** A library with over 60,000 volumes, including a wide range of marine topics (e.g., marine fauna, marine paintings, mariner's churches, marine disasters, and shipbuilding). Museum Collections (of over 5,000 items) including coastal maps, sketches and drawings of fishing vessels (all well-catalogued), and over 40 marine paintings.

**Maine League of Historical Societies and Museums**  
Stone House  
Phippsburg, ME 04562

*contact:* Dorris A. Isaacson

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Maritime Museum**  
Washington Street  
Bath, ME 04530

*contact:* Denis M. Thoet or Arthur Brendze  
*phone:* 207/442-7401

**goals:** To preserve and promote Maine's maritime history, including seafaring, shipbuilding, fisheries, coastal trades, shore and island life, and social history.

**current projects:** "Lobstering and the Maine Coast" exhibit and publications; shipbuilding and small craft construction program at the Apprenticeship; major new exhibit on maritime history to open in June 1989; Sherman Zwicker, 142-foot cod-fishing boat at shipyard with on-board exhibits.

**resources:** Exhibits; exhibit areas; videos on fisheries; boat construction; archives and library facilities; genealogies; publications; restored fishing vessel (circa 1830s); and special events.

**Sailor's Memorial Museum at Grindle Point Lighthouse**  
West Side Road, Box 172  
Islesboro, ME 04848

*contact:* Henry Hayden, Scott Rolerson  
*phone:* 207/734-6719

**goals:** To evaluate, catalog, and properly display a collection of artifacts in this lighthouse museum.

**resources:** A collection of marine-related artifacts of this lighthouse's history. Grindle Point is one of the oldest lighthouses and keeper's quarters in Maine.

**The Lighthouse Preservation Society**  
Box 736  
Rockport, MA 01966

*contact:* James Hyland, Valerie Nelson  
*phone:* 617/281-6336

**goals:** A non-profit organization (incorporated in Maine) that seeks to preserve and document American lighthouses.

**current projects:** Successful proposal for a \$1 million federal bicentennial lighthouse fund (for repair of endangered lighthouses); information clearinghouse for local organizations that wish to restore their lights.

**resources:** Slide show lecture on lighthouse preservation; lighthouse travelling exhibit; a newsletter for members; and consultants for local lighthouse preservation organizations.

**The Peary-MacMillan  
Arctic Museum**  
Hubbard Hall, Bowdoin College  
Brunswick, ME 04011

*contact:* Dr. Susan A. Kaplan, Director  
*phone:* 207/725-3289

**goals:** Education and research concerning the history of Arctic exploration, Arctic anthropology and ecology, and modern issues of Arctic economic development and sociology.

**current marine projects:** Staff research on the Maritime societies of Labrador and Alaska 1000 A.D. to the present, and the Scandinavian North Atlantic islands, 800 A.D. to the present.

**resources:** Artifact collections and a photographic archive, covering mostly Arctic topics, but with some photographs of coastal Maine. The Special Collections Division of the Hawthorne-Longfellow Library at Bowdoin College contains the personal papers and photographs of Donald B. MacMillan and Robert Bartlett, both renowned Arctic explorers and sea captains.

**Penobscot Marine Museum**  
Church Street  
Searsport, ME 04974

*contact:* Janice Kasper  
*phone:* 207/548-2529

**goals:** To help educate the people of Maine about their maritime heritage and the history of Searsport, a town which -- a century ago -- produced one-tenth of all deep-water shipmasters. The museum's seven buildings contain many varied exhibits related to the area's maritime past.

**current programs:** On exhibit at the museum are navigational instruments, ship models, a diorama about the Penobscot expedition, ship construction tools, and a small craft exhibit. The museum also offers a diverse collection of marine paintings, an exhibit on the "Challenge of Down Easters" and a 5,000-volume library.

**resources:** Year-round educational programming (both in-school and on-site museum programs); special programs; slide presentations; travelling programs; films and videos; and an educational brochure. Lectures and film series are presented at the museum year-round.

**Shore Village Museum**  
104 Limerick Street  
Rockland, ME 04841

*contact:* Ken Black, Robert N. Davis  
*phone:* 207/594-4950

**goals:** To display artifacts concerning the Coast Guard, Civil War, and the City of Rockland in historical times.

**current programs:** The museum offers the largest collection of lighthouse lenses on display anywhere in the United States. The Coast Guard Collection includes many marine-related objects.

**resources:** Speakers are available for programs concerning lighthouses and museum-related subjects.

**U.S. Lighthouse Society**  
964 Cherry Street  
San Francisco, CA 94131

*contact:* Wayne Wheeler, Tanja Rabbitt  
*phone:* 415/585-1303

**goals:** To coordinate lighthouse preservation efforts through research and communications; to maintain a research library and photo archives of lighthouses and aids to navigation; to establish a national lighthouse museum and a national fog signal museum; and to conduct regional tours of lighthouses.

**current projects:** Regional lighthouse tours (Maine, October 1987); restoring a lightship; hosting the U.S. Lighthouse Service Bicentennial (Fall 1989, Newport, RI), and publishing a quarterly magazine.

**resources:** Comprehensive research library and photo archives; speakers bureau; and help in conducting research for local groups.

## Parks/Sanctuaries

**Acadia National Park**  
PO Box 177  
Bar Harbor, ME 04609

*contact:* Lois Winter, Deb Wade  
*phone:* 207/288-3338

**goals:** To preserve the scenery, wildlife, and natural and historic objects of Acadia's parklands for the enjoyment of present and future generations.

**current programs:** An ongoing, interpretive program schedule offering up to 120 programs on Acadia's cultural and natural history each week; a resource management and science program designed to monitor and protect Park resources.

**resources:** Publications (list available on request); AV materials (15-minute orientation to park on 16 mm film available for free loan); regularly scheduled program of interpretive activities; environmental education programs for kids grades 3-6; other special interpretive programs are presented, as staffing permits; and internships and volunteer work experiences are available.

**Petit Manan National Wildlife Refuge**  
PO Box 279  
Milbridge, ME 04658

*contact:* Thomas Goettel, Refuge Manager  
*phone:* 207/546-2124

**goals:** To preserve and manage habitat for migratory birds and endangered species; environmental education.

**current projects:** Colonial seabird management programs on Petit Manan and Seal Islands; bald eagle environmental education programs; interpretive displays and hiking trails on Petit Manan Point, Steuben.

**resources:** Small library and two boats.

**Rachel Carson National  
Wildlife Refuge**  
RR2, Box 751  
Wells, ME 04090

*contact:* Andrew French, Refuge Manager  
*phone:* 207/646-9226

**goals:** To give the public access to a protected estuary and opportunity for birdwatching, nature study, wildlife photography, picnicking, and hiking.

**current programs:** The 3,200-acre refuge is made up of nine separate divisions that are located along the coast between Kittery and Cape Elizabeth, with more refuge lands still being acquired. Only at the refuge headquarters in Wells are there visitor facilities (e.g., parking, exhibits, and information). There is also a one-mile-long, wheelchair-accessible, interpretive nature trail at Wells that allows visitors to experience a portion of the estuarine ecosystem.

**resources:** Bird lists; trail guide; refuge brochures; and general U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service publications. The refuge is open sunrise to sunset, year-round.

**Wells National Estuarine  
Research Reserve**  
PO Box 1559  
Wells, ME 04090

*contact:* James T. List  
*phone:* 207/646-4521

**goals:** To provide a setting for long-term estuarine research, provide a place where people can learn about the cultural and natural history of estuarine areas, and allow low-intensity recreational activities.

**current projects:** Two research projects: a study of pollution and disease in eelgrasses and a study of whether life-history strategies or habitat availability determine critical habitats. The Reserve has docents who conduct educational programs for scheduled groups of schoolchildren, scouts, clubs, civic groups, and the general public.

**resources:** An interpretive visitors' center is being constructed, with classroom facilities and a research lab. There are several miles of trails and three interpretive overlooks available for public use on the more than 1,600 acres of estuary and upland.

**For a listing of state parks along the coast, please see Appendix B.**



# Planning/Municipal Assistance

**Androscoggin Valley Council  
of Governments**  
70 Court Street  
Auburn, ME 04210

*contact:* John Jaworski, Director

*No further information available.*

**Cumberland County Soil & Water  
Conservation District**  
587 Spring Street  
Westbrook, ME 04092

*contact:* Jody Smith, Resource Conservationist or  
Betty Farley, Office Manager  
*phone:* 207/856-6108

***goals:*** To help conserve soil, water, and related resources.

***current projects:*** Urban Conservation Program -- technical assistance to municipalities and others in the area of erosion/sediment control and stormwater management.

***resources:*** Cumberland County Soil Survey; Soil Interpretation Records; aerial photographs; Soil Conservation Service standards and specifications; technical publications; other soils-related information.

**Down East Resource Conservation  
& Development Organization**  
PO Box 210  
Cherryfield, ME 04622

*contact:* Dana Nelson, Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/546-2368

***goals:*** To provide local leadership for developing and carrying out a plan of orderly conservation, improvement, development, and wise use of natural resources.

***current marine projects:*** Milbridge Medical Center - bank stabilization; Seal Cove access ramp; Hancock Town Wharf reconstruction; Cherryfield boat access sites on Narraguagus River; Lubec Coast Guard Facility Use -- established marine research station.

***resources:*** USDA - Soil Conservation Service; 19 council members representing 14 sponsoring agencies and units of government; office facility, including conference room, in Cherryfield; established resource committees dealing with agriculture, community support, fisheries and wildlife, forest resources, marine resources, peat resources, and tourism.

**Eastern Maine Development Corporation/  
Penobscot Valley Council of Governments**  
10 Franklin Street  
Bangor, ME 04401

*contact:* Don Meagher, Director or  
Betsy Bass, Coastal Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/942-6389

***goals:*** To provide technical assistance, community development assistance, and planning expertise to local governments and businesses; and to assist in public infrastructure and business development programs.

***current marine projects:*** Assistance to various communities for breakwater, fish pier, port and marina development; work on coastal zone management, shoreland zoning, public access, harbor management, and maritime activity zones.

***resources:*** Technical assistance in planning, community development, and drafting and administering land use management ordinances; assistance gaining access to state and federal grants; library resources; and map inventory and cartographic services.

**Eastern Mid-coast Planning Commission**  
9 Water Street  
Rockland, ME 04841

*contact:* Patricia A. Jennings, Director or  
Tom Ford, Coastal Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/594-2299

**goals:** To promote and assist towns within the Commission's district in wise land use.

**current programs:** Full-time coastal coordinator provides direct technical assistance to coastal community planning boards and local officials; Technical assistance is also given for comprehensive plans, mapping, and comprehensive ordinances.

**resources:** Resource library with current publications, periodicals, comprehensive plans, and ordinances; full-time staff providing direct technical assistance; newsletter; basic training workshops for planning boards; ordinances and comprehensive plans on computer disks; **discanted** (??) computerized mapping project; grant writing; and community development.

**Greater Portland Council of Governments**  
233 Oxford Street  
Portland, ME 04101

*contact:* Kathleen Leyden, Director of Community  
Planning Services or  
Steven Butler, Coastal Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/774-9891

**goals:** To provide technical assistance to Greater Portland communities in the areas of coastal resource protection, land use, and growth management.

**current marine projects:** Workshop series on coastal and related planning issues; administering technical assistance through the Maine Coastal Program; developing a program on Casco Bay harbor management.

**resources:** Library of materials from the Maine Coastal Program; staff of 5 land planners, 2 environmental planners, and research staff; clearinghouse on coastal issues, coastal land planning/programs; Greater Portland Data Service.

**Hancock County Regional  
Planning Commission**  
69 Main Street  
Ellsworth, ME 04605

*contact:* James A. Drew, Director or  
Elizabeth Hooper, Coastal Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/667-7131

**goals:** To advise and assist Hancock County communities with local planning issues and problems.

**current marine projects:** Gouldsboro Access Study; Mount Desert's Comprehensive Harbor and Waterfront Study; Stonington's Comprehensive Plan; and Tremont's Waterfront Strategy and Action Plan.

**resources:** Data storage; bi-monthly newsletter; library; informational reports; model ordinances; and training video tapes.

**Hancock County Soil & Water  
Conservation District**  
Federal Building, 41 Main Street  
Ellsworth, ME 04605

*contact:* Daniel Schmidt  
*phone:* 207/667-8663

**goals:** To provide resource conservation planning, technical assistance, information, and education to cooperators, schools, local governments, and individuals.

**current marine projects:** Coastal shoreline stabilization project in Lamoine; erosion control and water quality conservation practices; erosion and sediment control plan reviews.

**resources:** Shoreline stabilization designs; critical area seeding plans; district conservationist; land use planning; and soil surveys.

**Kennebec County Soil & Water  
Conservation District**  
Federal Building, Room 408-C  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Barbara Arms  
*phone:* 207/622-8250

*No further information provided.*

**Knox-Lincoln Soil & Water  
Conservation District**  
Route One  
Waldoboro, ME 04572

*contact:* Trudy Soucy  
*phone:* 207/832-4292

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Association of Planners (MAP)**  
c/o Maine Department of Economic and  
Community Development, Station 130  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Sherry Hanson  
*phone:* 207/289-3154

**goals:** To improve the standards and quality of planning, provide for the professional development of members, and promote public understanding of the role of sound planning.

**current projects:** MAP is concerned with the proper use of all environmental resources. Two of its activities affect coastal issues: (1) efforts to promote public awareness of and participation in sound planning and (2) review and comment on legislative initiatives that affect planning.

**resources:** Workshops on planning practices, tools, emerging issues, and legislative agendas; a bimonthly newsletter and an annual membership directory to aid members in locating others with common interests, training, etc.; and an annual meeting held each June on the Maine coast.

**Maine Municipal Association**  
Community Drive  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Kay Rand, Rebecca Warren Seele  
*phone:* 207/623-8428

**goals:** To strengthen the quality of local governments in Maine.

**current marine projects:** Assistance to towns in developing zoning ordinances; local code enforcement; and legal affairs.

**resources:** Legal, advisory, and technical services; directory of resources.

**Mid-Coast Resource Utilization  
Consortium**  
US Route 1, Box 12  
Waldoboro, ME 04572

*contact:* Dawn Genes  
*phone:* 207/832-5348

**goals:** To demonstrate the feasibility of a large-scale fish by-product composting operation in the mid-coastal area.

**current projects:** Demonstration of compost production, crop response, and potting mix potential.

**resources:** Reports on compost processing and data, compostable by-products in the mid-coastal area, and market surveys; and speakers.

**Penobscot County Soil & Water  
Conservation District**  
89 Hillside Avenue  
Bangor, ME 04401

*contact:* Roberta Fleming  
*phone:* 207/6622

*No further information provided.*

**Southern Kennebec Planning &  
Development Commission**  
125 State Street  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Sue Burns

*No further information provided.*

**Southern Maine Regional  
Planning Commission**  
2 School Street, PO Box Q  
Sanford, ME 04073

*contact:* Madge Baker, Director or  
Caroline Eliot, Coastal Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/324-2952

**goals:** To provide professional planning services to all municipalities within our geographic boundaries.  
**current marine projects:** One full-time coastal coordinator works with twelve coastal communities to emphasize improved administration and enforcement of the subdivision law and mandatory shoreland zoning.  
**resources:** Library with reports, studies, and data on coastal issues; videos on growth management issues.

**Time & Tide Resource Conservation  
& Development Area**  
US Route 1, Box 12  
Waldoboro, ME 04572

*contact:* Dawn Genes  
*phone:* 207/832-5348

**goals:** To improve the social and economic environment through management and use of natural resources.  
**current projects:** Growth management seminars; drafting model erosion and sediment control ordinances.  
**resources:** Assistance with organizing public activities, grant writing, and networking with other organizations and agencies.

**Waldo County Soil & Water  
Conservation District**  
PO Box 364  
Belfast, ME 04915

*contact:* Evelyn Weggler  
*phone:* 207/338-2320

*No further information provided.*

**Washington County Regional  
Planning Commission**  
63 Main Street  
Machias, ME 04654

*contact:* L.C. Nick Greer, Director  
Glenn Avery, Coastal Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/255-8686

**goals:** To provide planning assistance and advisory services to municipalities; preparation of area-wide plans.  
**current marine projects:** Shoreland zoning; subdivision and harbor management planning; water-access planning and grant preparation.  
**resources:** Staff of four persons.

**Washington County Soil & Water  
Conservation District**  
PO Box 121  
Machias, ME 04654

*contact:* Nathan Pennell, District Manager  
*phone:* 207/255-3995

***goals:*** To help protect and produce resources and improve economic development.

***current projects:*** Erosion control; water quality protection; approved wasted disposal; critical habitat protection; and central planning and development.

***resources:*** Project planning assistance; project evaluation and review; coordination and assistance with other local, state, federal agencies; information referral; and services of the Soil Conservation Service.

**York County Soil & Water  
Conservation District**  
PO Box 392  
Sanford, ME 04073

*contact:* Betty Wildes  
*phone:* 207/324-7015

*No further information provided.*

## State Agencies

**Critical Areas Program**  
Maine State Planning Office  
184 State Street, Station 38  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Hank Tyler, Trish DeHond  
*phone:* 207/289-3261

**goals:** To identify, document, and coordinate the conservation of natural areas and rare plants in Maine; and to compile the Register of Critical Areas, an Official List of Endangered Plants, and a list of Heritage Coastal Areas.

**current marine projects:** Inventories of Critical Areas and Natural Areas on the Maine coast, including a recent survey of cobble beaches in Penobscot Bay, and significant bedrock features from Pemaquid to Calais.

**resources:** Listing of Critical Areas for the Maine coast; 88 planning reports; 112 botanical fact sheets; The Landowner's Options; 30 educational brochures; and 6 maps of natural areas and critical areas along Maine's coast.

**Finance Authority of Maine (FAME)**  
83 Western Avenue, PO Box 949  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Karen Lazareth  
*phone:* 207/623-3263

**goals:** To provide financial services that assist the establishment and growth of Maine businesses.

**current marine projects:** Long-term fixed or variable-rate financing for seafood processors; loan guarantees for fixed assets and working capital needs; direct loans for occupational safety improvements; grants for research and applied technology; and export financing.

**Maine Coastal Program**  
Maine State Planning Office  
184 State Street, Station 38  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* David Keeley, Director or  
Flis Schaffler, Communications Coordinator  
*phone:* 207/289-3261

**goals:** To achieve an appropriate balance between conservation and development in the coastal area; to help preserve the ecological integrity of coastal waters and the Gulf of Maine; and to encourage cooperative state/municipal management of coastal resources.

**current projects:** Support for municipal construction of waterfront parks and boating facilities along the coast; work to ensure the continuation of working waterfronts and shoreline access for the public; a "Heritage Coastal Areas" program; technical assistance and land use planning for coastal towns (see listing for the Department of Economic and Community Development); and coordination of Coastweek events.

**resources:** Technical assistance and land-use planning (through several state agencies and seven coastal councils); publications (on municipal planning, public access, and general information on a range of coastal issues); two travelling displays; Coastweek information; slideshows (on coastal resources, growth management, and marine plastics) and a growing educational video/film library of marine-related films.

**departmental divisions:** see Figure A (page 39).

**Maine Department of  
Conservation (DOC)**  
Station 22  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Marshall Wiebe, Public Information  
*phone:* 207/289-4900

**goals:** To promote the wise use of Maine's natural resources and fulfill other responsibilities as defined by the state.

**current marine programs:** (1) Management of coastal state parks and historic sites; (2) provision of coastal access for boats; (3) management of coastal educational facility with programs (Wolf Neck Woods, Freeport); (4) Management of state-owned submerged lands (see listing for Bureau of Public Lands); (5) Planning/zoning for certain coastal islands; (6) Marine geology investigations and mapping; (8) Administration of Coastal Island Registry (see listing for Bureau of Public Lands); and (9) Forest fire and insect protection and forest management assistance.

**resources:** (a partial listing) "Your Islands on the Coast" (free flyer), "Outdoors in Maine" (free flyer), "Rules and Regulations for State Parks and Memorials" (free), "Maine's Public Facilities for Boats Program" (free), and Coastal Marine Geologic Environmental maps.

**departmental divisions:** (see Figure B, page 40). Bureau of Parks and Recreation; Bureau of Public Lands; Land Use Regulation Commission; Maine Geological Survey; and the Maine Forest Service.

**DOC/Bureau of Public Lands**  
State House Station 22  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Carol Holden  
*phone:* 207/289-3061

**goals:** To provide multiple use management for all of the state's public lands, including submerged lands that are held in trust for the benefit of the public.

**current marine programs:** Submerged Lands Program -- Manage submerged lands for public benefit including fishing, fowling, navigation, and recreation. The Bureau is authorized to grant leases for dredging, filling, erection of permanent structures, and installation of cables and pipelines on submerged lands owned by the state. Coastal Island Registry -- Review titles to determine private-versus-state ownership; and maintain maps and records identifying all islands. Island Recreation Program -- Manage program to provide public with dispersed recreational opportunities on state-owned islands.

**resources:** Knowledge of state ownership in tidal waters and great ponds; assistance in processing applications that involve these resources; grant leases for appropriate use of state-owned submerged lands; official maps with island registry numbers for all coastal islands; records of state versus private ownership; and natural resource information on islands managed by BPL.

**DOC/Land Use Regulation  
Commission**  
State House Station 22  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* James St. Pierre  
*phone:* 207/289-2631

**goals:** Land use planning, zoning, permitting, and enforcement (growth management) in unorganized territories.

**current marine programs:** Planning, zoning, and permitting activities in two townships, two plantations, and on over 300 islands.

**DOC/Maine Geological Survey**  
State House Station 22  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Steve Dickson, Marine Geology Division  
*phone:* 207/289-2801

**goals:** To conduct research and physical resource inventories of the offshore, nearshore, and estuarine areas of Maine and to provide technical services to other state agencies and public industry.

**current marine projects:** Map offshore and gravel resources; study the geologic history of saltmarshes, mud flats, and beaches; and evaluate the geologic stability of coastal beaches and bluffs.

**resources:** Coastal marine geologic environments maps (1:24,000 scale); coastal sand dune maps (1:4,800 scale); topographic maps of coastal lands (several scales); and aerial photographs of coastal regions.

**Maine Department of Economic and  
Community Development**  
Station 130  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Office of Comprehensive Land Use Planning  
*phone:* 207/289-3154

**goals:** To provide assistance to municipalities on land use planning, coastal management, and growth management.

**current marine programs:** The program administers two grant programs: local planning grants and waterfront action grants through the Maine Coastal Program, Community Development Block Grant Program, and the Land and Water Conservation Fund. In addition, the office administers the regional coastal coordinator program and provides technical assistance on coastal issues such as public access and working waterfronts.

**resources:** Handbooks and technical memoranda; municipal plans and ordinances; technical assistance; and grant programs.

**departmental divisions:** See Figure C (page 41).

**Maine Department of Environmental  
Protection (DEP)**  
State House Station 17  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Director of Information and Education

*phone:* 207/289-7688

**goals:** The DEP administers environmental regulatory programs in Maine's organized townships.

**current marine programs:** DEP administers laws affecting coastal wetlands, sand dunes, overboard discharges of treated wastewater, oil pollution, and site location approval of major developments. Research is currently being done into contamination of heavy metals in sediments of coastal estuaries.

**resources:** (a partial listing) A directory entitled "Environmental Resources of Maine" (1988); citizen's guides to protecting lakes, coastal wetlands, and managing private sewage disposal. Pamphlets on "Clean Water: Our Precious Resource" and "The Air Around Us" and a monthly bulletin, EnvironNews. All publications are free.

**departmental divisions:** See Figure D (page 42).

**Maine Department of Health Services/  
Health and Engineering Division**  
State House Station 10  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Jeff Jenks

*phone:* 207/289-3826

**goals:** To conduct regulatory programs dealing with public health issues.

**current marine projects:** Regulating on-site subsurface wastewater disposal systems; regulating water quality supplied by public water companies; licensing restaurants, motels, and camping areas; and licensing scuba tank filling operations.



**Maine Department of Inland  
Fisheries and Wildlife**  
Station 41, 284 State Street  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Paul Fournier  
*phone:* 207/289-3371

**goals:** To ensure that all species of wildlife and aquatic resources in Maine are maintained and perpetuated for their intrinsic and ecological values, their economic contribution, and their recreational, scientific, and educational use by the people of Maine.

**current marine projects:** Species recovery work on threatened and endangered species (e.g., piping plovers and least terns); identification and management of significant habitats; and public education.

**resources:** (a partial listing) Maine Fish and Wildlife magazine; lake surveys (copies \$0.50); free copies of hunting, fishing, trapping, and watercraft laws; "About Boating Safety" (free); and numerous U.S. Coast Guard boating safety pamphlets.

**departmental divisions:** See Figure E (page 43).

**Maine Department of Marine  
Resources**

State House Station 21  
Augusta, ME 04333  
Marine Resources Laboratory  
and  
McKown Point  
W. Boothbay Harbor, ME 04575

*contact:* Lorraine Stubbs, Director, Marine Education  
Lewis Flagg, Director, Anadromous Fish  
Phillip Averill, Director, Fisheries Technology  
Brian Marcotte, Director, Bureau of Marine Sciences  
*phone:* 207/289-2291 (Augusta) or  
633-5572 (W. Boothbay Harbor)

**goals:** (for the Marine Education Division) To increase public awareness of Maine's marine resources by providing curriculum materials, informational materials; demonstrations; teacher workshops; and in-service programs based upon Maine's marine resources.

**current projects:** Teacher workshops and courses dealing with marine education and the marine environment; talks, slideshows, and videos on using fish as food; in-classroom demonstration programs on fisheries techniques, marine organisms, and the fishing industry.

**resources:** Speakers; slide programs; video programs; and curriculum materials; booklets and pamphlets related to the marine environment

**departmental divisions:** See Figure F (page 44).

**Maine Department of  
Transportation/Ports and Marine  
Transportation Division**  
State House Station 16  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Russ Spinney, Rob Elder  
*phone:* 207/289-2841

**goals:** To plan, develop, and maintain marine infrastructure projects in the coastal zone.

**current projects:** Cargo ports in Eastport, Searsport, and Portland; fish piers; ferry services in Penobscot and Casco Bays; and navigational projects with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (e.g., Jonesport).

**resources:** Management planning, and marine engineering staff; 14 piers; 6 ferry vessels; Maine Port Authority; and other MDOT services.

**Maine Emergency Management  
Agency/Department of Defense and  
Veterans' Services**  
Station 72  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* David Brown  
*phone:* 207/289-4080

**goals:** Comprehensive emergency management planning and coordination of emergency response for wide-scale emergencies through state, county, and local Emergency Management Agencies.

**current projects:** Identification of specific hazards; development of emergency operations plans along functional lines; analysis of response capabilities; creation of resource listings; and training of response personnel.

**resources:** Emergency management planning, guidance and coordination services; publications regarding specific hazards, response activities, and recovery assistance; emergency planning training; radiological preparedness training; and training in the management of hazardous materials emergencies.

**Maine State Commission on the  
Arts and Humanities/Department of  
Education and Cultural Services**  
Station 25  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Alden Wilson  
*phone:* 207/289-2724

*No further information provided.*

**Maine State Library**  
Cultural Building  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Reference staff  
*phone:* 207/289-5600

**goals:** General library service and statewide library networking and support.

**current marine programs:** Collect all State of Maine-published documents and many relevant Federal ones; buy marine-related books and make them available; search services in national, online databases.

**resources:** Schedule: Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri. 9-5; Thurs. 9-9; Sat./Sun. 12-5 (No weekend hours in summer).

**Maine State Museum**  
State House Station 83  
Augusta, ME 04333

*contact:* Paul E. Rivard, Director  
*phone:* 207/289-2301

**goals:** To preserve and present the heritage and unique history of the State of Maine.

**current marine projects:** Exhibits: Natural history scene -- rocky coast and saltwater marsh; "The Age of Steam and Sail -- Selections from the Allie Ryan Maritime Collection"; "The Defence Story, 1779"; and shipbuilding, sailmaking, and fishing exhibits. Gallery Programs: tide pool specimens, lobstering, sailmaking, "Saving the Defence" Guided Tours: "Age of Steam and Sail," and "Defence Story."

**resources:** Open weekdays 9-5; Saturdays 10-4; Sundays 1-4.

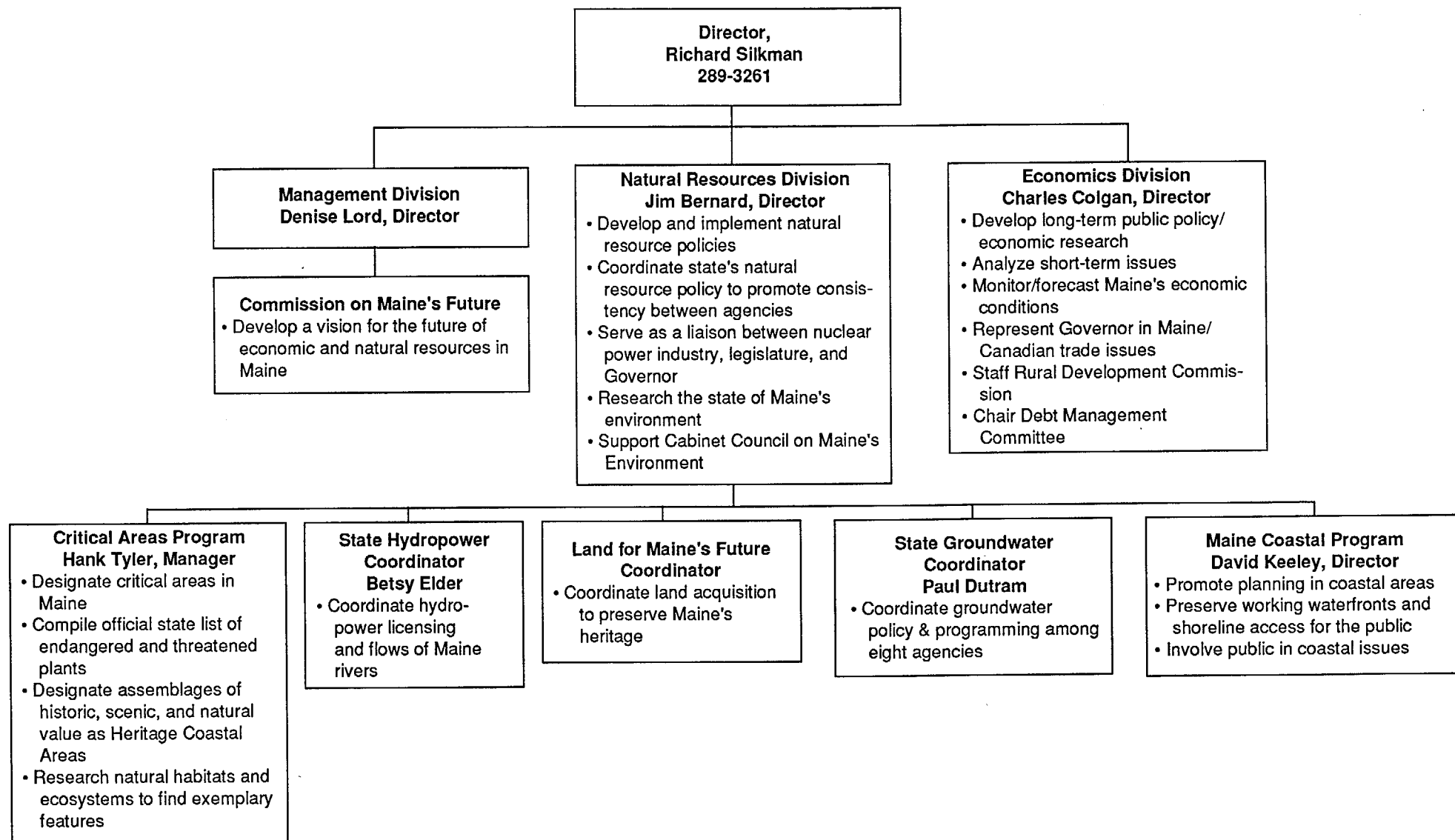
**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers**  
Federal Building, Room 209  
40 Western Avenue  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Jay Clement, Shawn Mahaney  
*phone:* 207/622-8246

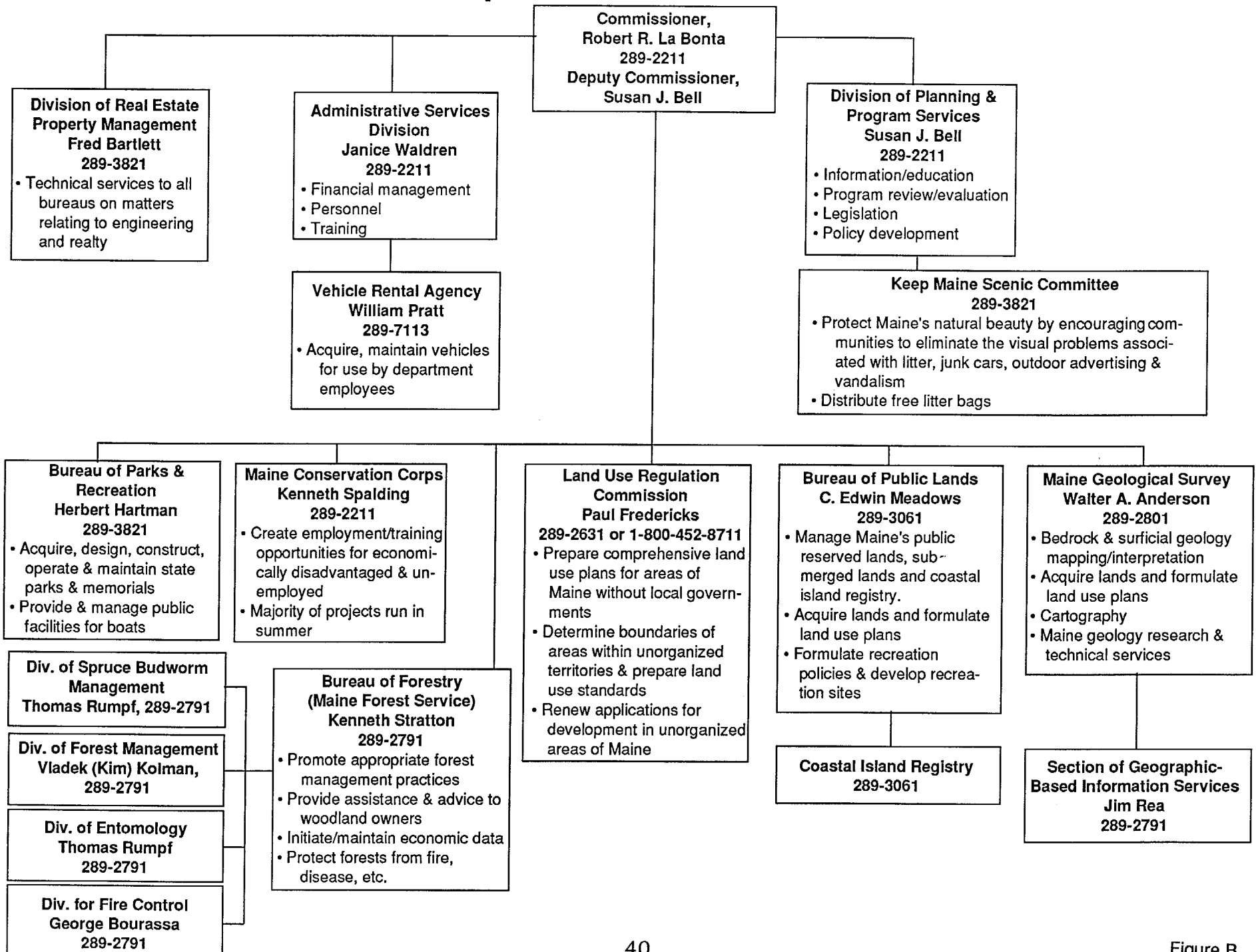
**goals:** To regulate (via a permit program) work in or affecting navigable waters and the discharge of dredged or fill material into all waters and wetlands.

**current marine projects:** Activities commonly requiring permits include piers, marinas, dredging, filling, moorings, aquaculture, temporary and permanent structures, and utility crossings.

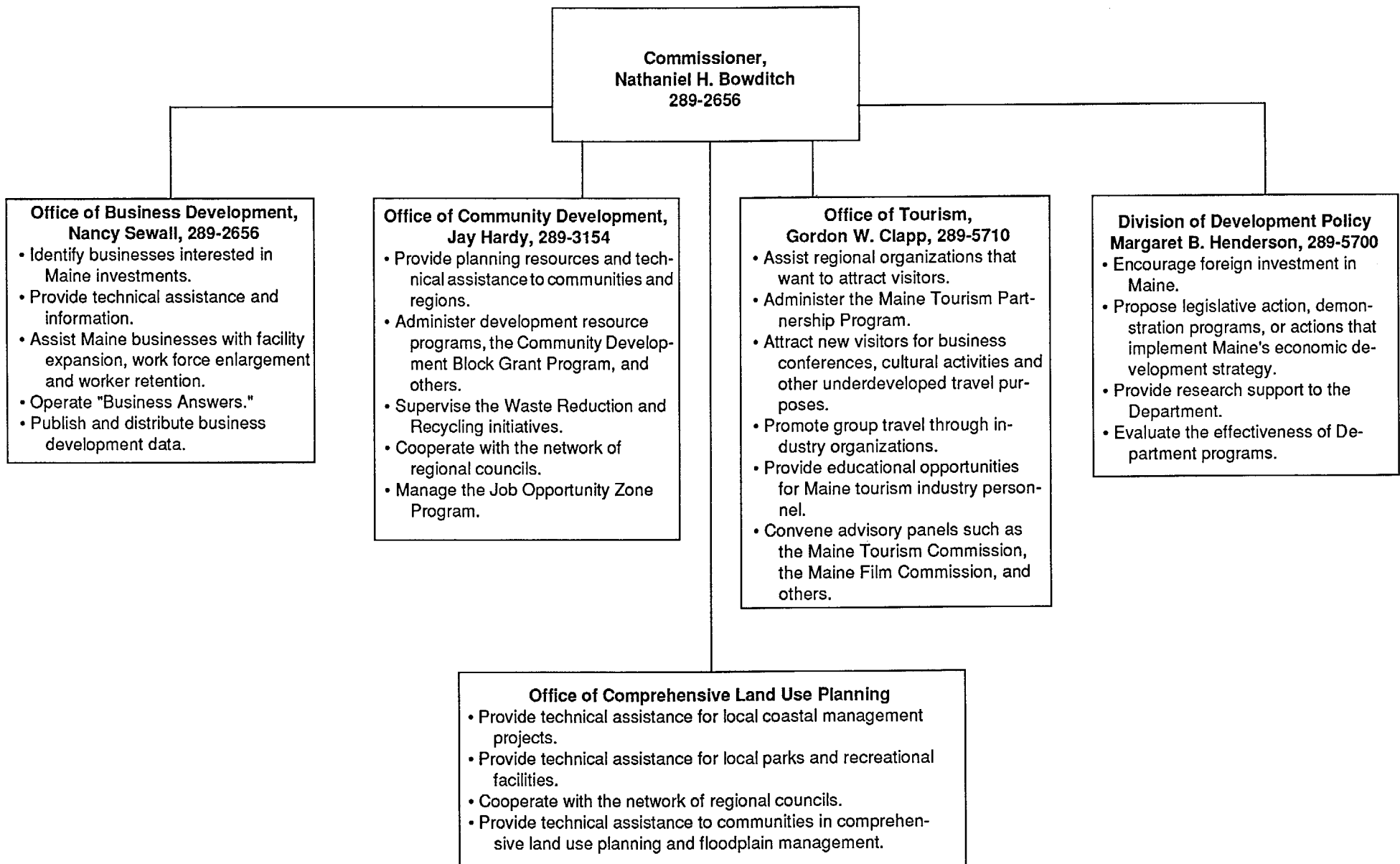
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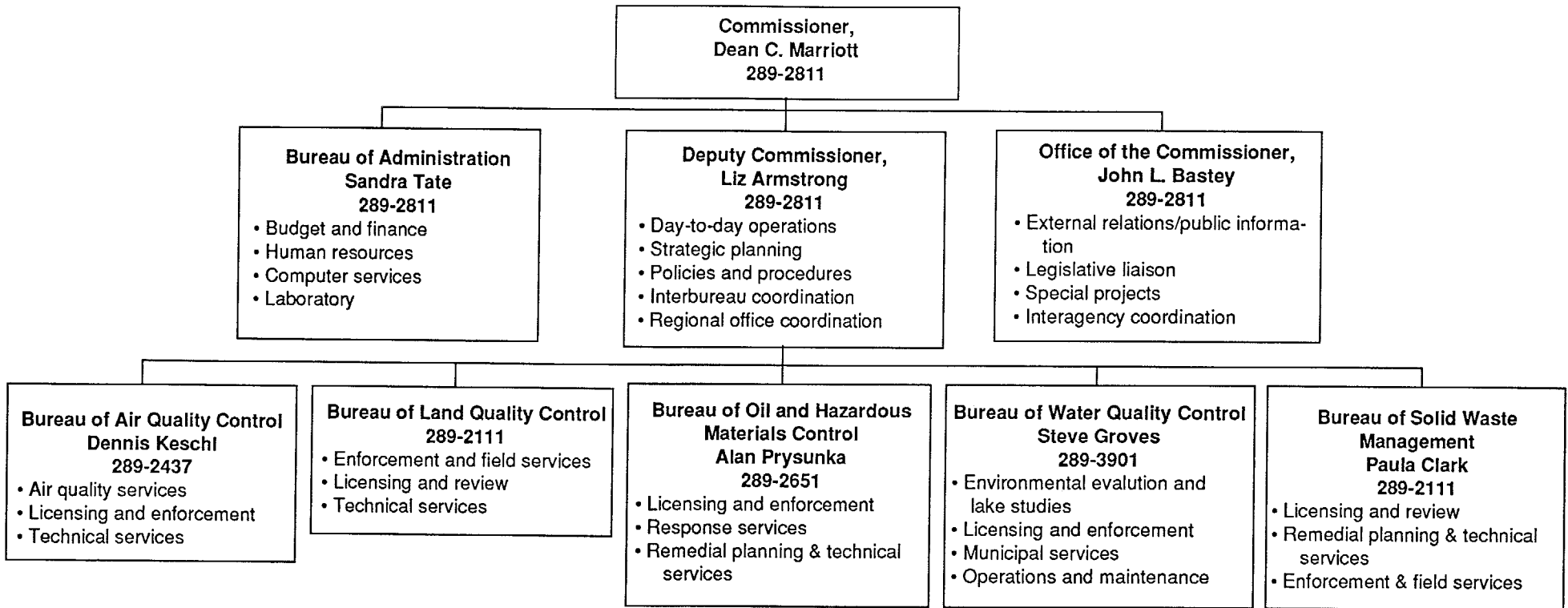
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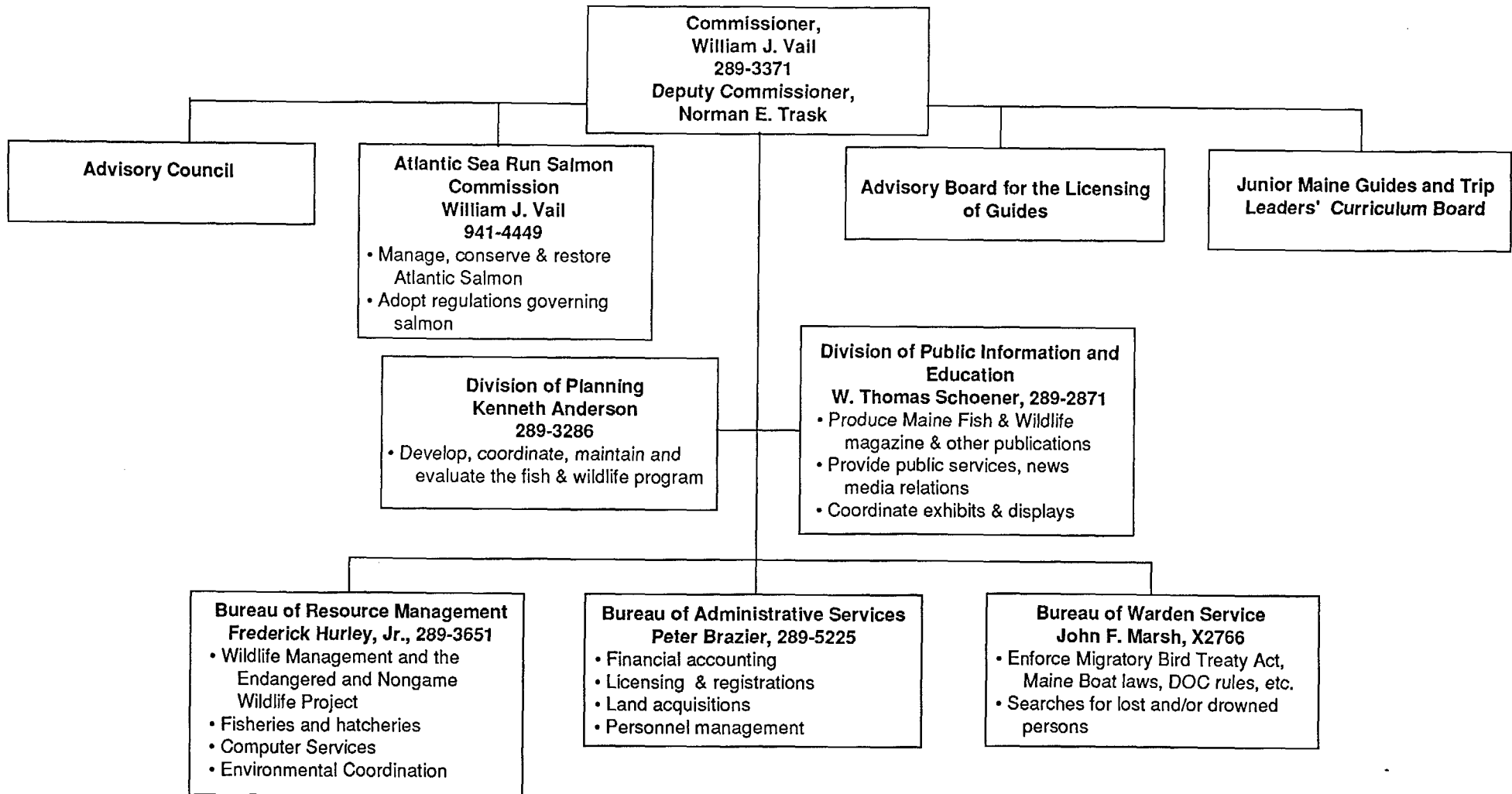
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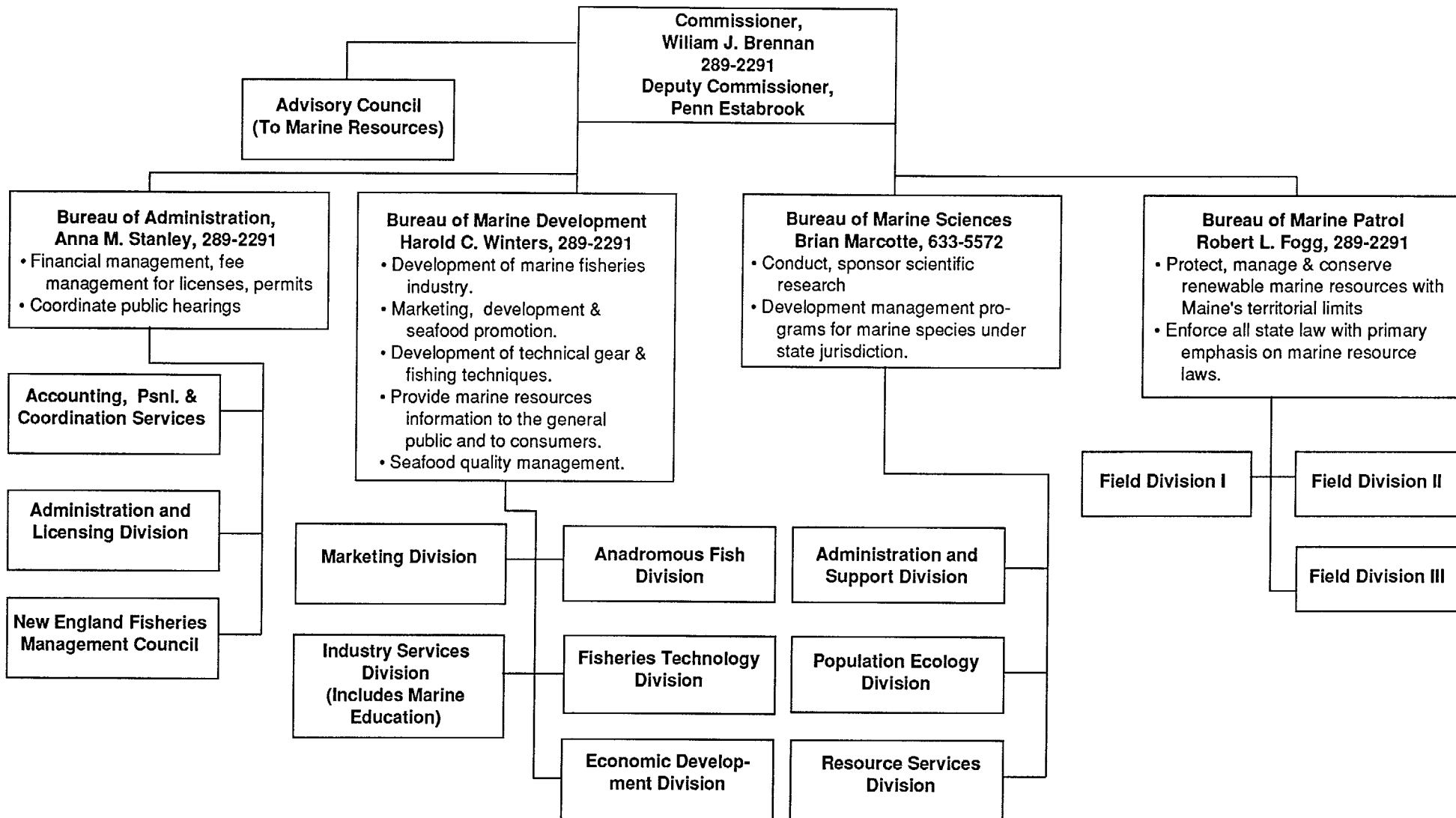
# Department of Environmental Protection



# Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife



# Department of Marine Resources





## Miscellaneous Organizations

**Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (CIE)**  
22 Coburn Hall, University of Maine at Orono  
Orono, ME 04469

*contact:* Ray Noddin, Marilyn Shottafer  
*phone:* 207/581-1465

**goals:** To encourage the development of new businesses and the expansion of existing businesses through new products and processes resulting from innovation and invention.

**current marine projects:** Improved lobster band testing; student-designed components of a research vessel; student-designed hydrodynamic wing to lift scallops from the ocean bottom; and research and development on industrial deodorizer for fish odors.

**resources:** Faculty, students, CIE laboratory, CIE engineer.

**Coastal Enterprises, Inc. (CEI)**  
Middle Street, PO Box 268  
Wiscasset, ME 04578

*contact:* Ron Phillips, President  
*phone:* 207/882-7552

**goals:** A private, non-profit community development corporation that seeks to expand employment opportunities for Maine residents by promoting the growth of small businesses and natural resource industries.

**current marine projects:** Investments in seafood processing and allied industries along the coast of Maine; management services for municipalities or private sector, such as the Boothbay Harbor Fish Pier; technical assistance in planning waterfront access for marine industries.

**resources:** An economic development strategy combining technical and financial assistance for starting up and expanding businesses that promise economic benefits to their communities. CEI is a licensed SBA 504 Certified Development Corporation, and is certified to assist in packaging FAME (see listing under state agencies) projects .

**Friends of the Coast of Maine**  
Suite M, 465 Congress Street  
Portland, ME 04101

*contact:* Paul Carter  
*phone:* 207/775-1008

**goals:** To increase public knowledge of the unique resources, history, ecology, and economics of Maine's coast and islands.

**current programs:** "On the Coast of Maine," a MPBN radio program airing on Wednesdays at 6:40 AM (Portland FM 90.1; Calais 89.7; Bangor 90.9; Waterville 91.3; Presque Isle 106.1).

**resources:** Speaker; audio tapes; memberships.

**Keep the Port in Portland**  
PO Box 8003  
Portland, ME 04104

*contact:* Karen Sanford, Henri Gignoux  
*phone:* 207/774-0134

**goals:** To promote healthy and diverse working waterfronts and prevent the loss of Portland's waterfront space to nonmarine uses.

**current projects:** Work with city officials and waterfront businesses to provide more commercial boat berthing in Portland Harbor and to improve the existing berths and related facilities.

**resources:** Information (collected over four years) relating to the regulatory and political bodies and processes that govern Portland's waterfront.

**Maine Community Foundation**  
PO Box 148  
Ellsworth, ME 04605

*contact:* Edward J. Kaelber

*No further information provided.*

**Maine Development Foundation**  
One Memorial Circle  
Augusta, ME 04330

*contact:* Henry Bourgeois, President  
*phone:* 207/622-6345

**goals:** To encourage partnerships among business, government, and education to strengthen the Maine economy through programs in economic education, policy analysis, and development.  
**current marine projects:** None presently.

**Maine Humanities Council**  
PO Box 7202  
Portland, ME 04101

*No further information available.*

**Maine People's Alliance**  
PO Box 17534  
Portland, ME 04104

*contact:* Arn Pearson

*No further information provided.*

**Propeller Club**  
Box 68  
Scarborough, ME 04074

*contact:* Alan J. Graves  
*phone:* 207/799-8379

**goals:** To promote the port of Portland, Maine.

**U.S. Coast Guard Group**  
PO Box 5000  
Southwest Harbor, ME 04679

*contact:* CWO3 S.J. Sipniewski  
*phone:* 207/244-5517

**goals:** To assist vessels in distress, suppress illegal activities, promote water safety, and mark navigable waterways.

**current programs:** Search and rescue; maritime law enforcement; marine environmental protection; fisheries conservation; aids to navigation; and boating safety.

**resources:** Aircraft from Cape Cod; medium and small cutter and small patrol craft in Rockland, Southwest Harbor, and Jonesport; buoy tenders and ice-breaking cutters in Rockland and Southwest Harbor; Coast Guard auxiliary in Rockland, Bangor, Castine, and Southwest Harbor.

## Glossary of Common Acronyms

ARGO - ME -- Association for Research on the Gulf of Maine  
BPL -- Bureau of Public Lands (Department of Conservation)  
BPR -- Bureau of Parks and Recreation (Department of Conservation)  
CAP -- Critical Areas Program (Maine State Planning Office)  
CIE -- Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (CIE)  
CLF -- Conservation Law Foundation of New England, Inc.  
COA - College of the Atlantic  
COG -- Council of Governments  
CZMA -- Coastal Zone Management Act (federal, 1972)  
DEP -- Department of Environmental Protection  
DIFW -- Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife  
DMR -- Maine Department of Marine Resources  
DOC -- Maine Department of Conservation  
DOT -- Maine Department of Transportation  
EPA (or USEPA) -- United States Environmental Protection Agency  
FAME -- Finance Authority of Maine  
GOMMEA -- Gulf of Maine Marine Education Association  
KRIC -- Kennebec River Council  
LURC -- Land Use Regulation Commission (Department of Conservation)  
MAA -- Maine Aquaculture Association  
MAP -- Maine Association of Planners  
MAS -- Maine Audubon Society  
MCHT -- Maine Coast Heritage Trust  
MCP -- Maine Coastal Program (State Planning Office)  
MDI -- Mount Desert Island  
MEEA -- Maine Environmental Education Association  
MFWA -- Maine Fishermen's Wives Association  
MGS -- Maine Geological Survey (Department of Conservation)  
MHPC -- Maine Historic Preservation Commission  
MMA -- Maine Municipal Association, Maine Maritime Academy, or Maine Marine Alliance  
MPA -- Maine People's Alliance  
MMTA -- Maine Marine Trade Association  
NOAA -- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration  
NRCM -- Natural Resources Council of Maine  
RASA -- Restoration of Atlantic Salmon in America, Inc.  
RC&DA -- Resource Conservation and Development Area  
RPC -- Regional Planning Commission  
S&WCD -- Soil and Water Conservation District  
SMVTI -- Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute  
SPO -- Maine State Planning Office  
TNC -- The Nature Conservancy  
UMA -- University of Maine at Augusta  
UMCES -- University of Maine Cooperative Extension Service  
UMM -- University of Maine at Machias  
UMO -- University of Maine at Orono  
USCG -- United States Coast Guard  
USFWS -- United States Fish and Wildlife Service  
USGS -- United States Geological Survey  
USM -- University of Maine at Portland/Gorham  
WAG -- Waterfront Action Grant  
WCVTI -- Washington County Vocational Technical Institute

## Appendix A ----- Publications Along the Coast

### Magazines and Monthly Newspapers

*Commercial Fisheries News*, PO Box 37, Stonington, ME 04681 Ed.: Robin Alden  
*Down East*, Box 679, Camden, ME 04843 Ed.: David Thomas 594-9544  
*Habitat, Journal of the Maine Audubon Society*, 118 U.S. Route One, Falmouth, ME 04105 Ed.: Bill Hancock 781-2330  
*Maine Boats and Harbors*, 101 Mechanic Street, Camden, ME, 04083. Ed.: John Hanson 236-8622  
*Maine Coastal News*, PO Box 447, Brewer, ME 04412 Ed.: Jon B. Johansen  
*Maine Today*, 154 Middle Street, Portland, ME 04101 Ed.: Mike Bergstein 775-4339  
*The Maine Progressive*, PO Box 110, Stillwater, ME 04489 Ed.: Selma Sternlieb  
*National Fisherman*, 21 Elm Street, Camden, ME 04843 Ed.: James W. Fullilove 236-4342  
*Salt Magazine*, PO Box 1400, Kennebunkport, ME 04046 Ed.: Pamela Wood 967-3311  
*WoodenBoat*, Naskeag Point, Brooklin, ME 04616 Ed.: Maynard Bray

### Non-Daily Newspapers

*Bar Harbor Times*, PO Box 68, Bar Harbor, ME 04609 Ed.: Steve Kloehn 288-3311  
*Coastal Journal*, PO Box 575, Bath, ME 04530 Ed.: Joan Grant 443-6241  
*The Republican Journal*, PO Box 327, Belfast, ME 04915 Ed.: Michael Crowley 338-3333  
*The Waldo County Independent*, PO Box 228, Belfast, ME 04915 Ed.: Jay Davis 338-5100  
*The Weekly Packet*, PO Box 646, Blue Hill, ME 04614 Ed.: Ellen Booraem 374-5643  
*The Boothbay Register*, PO Box 357, Boothbay, ME 04538 Ed.: Mary D. Brewer 633-4620  
*The Pejepscot Cryer*, 145 Maine Street, Brunswick, ME 04011 Ed.: Verdi L. Tripp 725-2811  
*Bucksport Free Press*, PO Box 340, Bucksport, ME 04416 Ed.: Philip W. Buxton 469-3231  
*The Calais Advertiser*, PO Box 391, Calais, ME 04619 Ed.: Ferguson Calder 454-3561  
*Saint Croix Courier*, PO Box 477, Calais, ME 04619 Ed.: Nelson Wyatt 454-7677  
*Camden Herald*, PO Box 248, Camden, ME 04843 Ed.: Sally Murdock 236-8511  
*Castine Patriot*, PO Box 205, Castine, ME 04421 Ed.: Lee Witting 326-4383  
*Lincoln County News*, PO Box 36, Damariscotta, ME 04543 Ed.: Abby Roberts 563-3171  
*The Quoddy Tides*, PO Box 213, Eastport, ME 04631 Ed.: Mrs. Winifred French 853-4806  
*The Ellsworth American*, PO Box 509, Ellsworth, ME 04605 Ed.: James Russell Wiggins 667-2576  
*Freeport Bulletin*, PO Box 506, Freeport, ME 04032 Ed.: Irving Richardson 865-6361  
*Kennebec Observer*, 228 Water Street, Gardiner, ME 04345 Ed.: Bob Steele 582-5113  
*The Maine Paper*, PO Box 71, Hallowell, ME 04347  
*York County Coast Star*, PO Box 979, Kennebunk, ME, 04043 Ed.: Jerry Turner 985-2961  
*The Tourist News*, Box 473, Kennebunkport, ME 04046  
*Machias County-wide*, PO Box 190, Machias, ME 04654  
*Machias Valley News and Observer*, PO Box 357, Machias, ME 04654 Ed.: Nancy Hayward 255-6561  
*The Merrymeeting Standard*, 41 Main Street, Richmond, ME 04347 Ed.: Wallace Sinclair 737-8535  
*The Courier-Gazette*, 1 Park Drive, Rockland, ME 04841 Ed.: Mike McGuire 594-4401  
*Island Ad-Vantages*, PO Box 36, Stonington, ME 04681 Ed.: Nathaniel Barrows 367-2200  
*Maine Sunday Telegram*, 390 Congress Street, PO Box 1460, Portland, ME 04104 775-5811  
*Maine Times*, 41 Main Street, Topsham, ME 04086 Ed.: Mathew Storin 729-0126  
*York Weekly*, PO Box 7, York, ME 03909 363-4343

## **Daily Newspapers**

*Kennebec Journal*, 274 Western Avenue, Augusta, ME 04330 Ed.: J. Scott Gibson 623-3811

*Bangor Daily News*, PO Box 1329, 491 Main Street, Bangor, ME 04401 Mng. Ed.: V. Paul Reynolds  
942-4881

*Journal Tribune*, Alfred Road, PO Box 627, Biddeford, ME 04005 Mng. Ed.: Robert Melville 282-1535

*The Times-Record*, Industry Road, PO Box 10, Brunswick, ME 04011 729-3311

*Foster Daily Democrat*, 333 Central Avenue, Dover, NH 03820 603/742-4455

*Evening Express*, 390 Congress Street, PO Box 1460, Portland, ME 04104 Mng. Ed.: Linda White  
775-5811

*Portland Press Herald*, 390 Congress Street, PO Box 1460, Portland, ME 04104 Mng. Ed.: Warren  
Watson 775-5811

*Portsmouth Herald*, 111 Maplewood Avenue, Portsmouth, NH 03801 603/436-1000

## **Coastal Radio Programs**

"Seafood Soundings": Raquel D. Boehmer, Lobster Cove Road, Monhegan Island, ME 04852

A brief discussion of seafood cuisine every Monday at 6:40 AM on Maine public radio  
stations. A newsletter is also available.

"On the Coast of Maine": Paul Carter, Suite M, 465 Congress Street, Portland, ME 04101.

A brief historical tour of different sites along Maine's coast, aired every Wenesday morning at  
6:40 AM on Maine public radio stations. Cassette tapes are also available.

## **Appendix B ----- State Parks Along the Coast**

*Camden Hills*, Camden. 5,474 acres. Open May 15 to October 15.  
*Cobscook Bay*, Dennysville. 888 acres. Open May 15 to October 30.  
*Crescent Beach*, Cape Elizabeth. 243 acres. Open May 30 to September 30.  
*Ferry Beach*, Saco. 117 acres. Open May 30 to September 15.  
*Fort Point (Fort Pownall)*, Stockton Springs. 154 acres. May 30 to Labor Day.  
*Lamoine*, Lamoine. 55 acres. Open May 15 to October 15.  
*Moose Point*, Searsport. 183 acres. Open May 30 to October 1.  
*Popham Beach*, Phippsburg. 529 acres. Open May 1 to September 30.  
*Quoddy Head*, Lubec. 481 acres. Open May 30 to October 15.  
*Reid*, Georgetown. 766 acres. Open all year.  
*Scarborough Beach*, Scarborough. 5 acres. Open May 30 to Labor Day.  
*Two Lights*, Cape Elizabeth. 40 acres. Open April 15 to December 1.  
*Warren Island*, Islesboro. 70 acres. Open May 30 to September 15.  
*Wolf Neck Woods*, Freeport. 233 acres. Open May 30 to Labor Day.

## **Appendix C ----- Historical Sites Along the Coast**

*Colonial Pemaquid (Fort William Henry)*, Bristol. Open May 30 to Labor Day.  
*Eagle Island*, South Harpswell. Open June 20 to Labor Day.  
*Fort Edgecomb*, North Edgecomb. Open May 30 to Labor Day.  
*Fort George*, Castine. Open May 30 to Labor Day.  
*John Paul Jones*, Kittery. Open all year.  
*Fort Knox*, Prospect. Open May 1 to November 1.  
*Fort McClary*, Kittery Point. Open May 30 to October 1.  
*Montpelier*, Thomaston. Open May 30 to September 1.  
*Fort O'Brien (Fort Machias)*, Machiasport. Open May 30 to Labor Day.  
*Fort Popham*, Popham Beach. Open May 30 to Labor Day.

## **Appendix D ----- Lighthouses**

*Baker Island Light*, Cranberry Isles (1828/1855)  
*Bass Harbor Head Light*, Tremont (1858)  
*Bear Island Light*, Cranberry Isles (1839/1889)  
*Boon Island Light*, York (1811/1855)  
*Burnt Island Light*, Southport (1821)  
*Cape Elizabeth Light*, Cape Elizabeth (1829/1874)  
*Cape Neddick Light*, York (1879)  
*The Cuckolds*, Southport (1892/1907)  
*Dice Head Light*, Castine (1829/1937)  
*Egg Rock Light*, Winter Harbor (1875)  
*Franklin Island Light*, Friendship (1805/1855)  
*Great Duck Island Light*, Frenchboro (1890)  
*GrindlePoint Light*, Islesboro (1850/1875)  
*Halfway Rock Light*, Portland (1871)  
*Hendricks Head Light*, Southport (1825/1875)  
*Isle au Haut*, Isle au Haut (1907)  
*Libby Island Light*, Machiasport (1817)  
*Marshall Point Light*, St. George (1823/1858)  
*Matinicus RockLight*, Criehaven (1848)  
*Monhegan Island Light*, Monhegan Plantation (1850)  
*Moose Peak Light*, Jonesport (1827)  
*Mount Desert Rock Light*, 20 miles off Mount Desert Island

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*Nash Island Light*, Addison (1838/1873)  
*Owls Head Light*, Owls Head (1826)  
*Pemaquid Point Light*, Bristol (1827)  
*Petit Manan Light*, Milbridge (1817/1855)  
*Portland Head Light*, Cape Elizabeth (1791)  
*Ram Island Light*, Boothbay (1883)  
*Rockland Breakwater Light*, Rockland (1888/1902)  
*Saddleback Ledge Light*, Vinalhaven (1839)  
*Seguin Light*, Georgetown (1795/1887)  
*Spring Point Ledge Light*, South Portland (1897)  
*Squirrel Point Light*, Arrowsic (1898)  
*Two Bush Island Light*, Two Bush Island (1817)]  
*West Quoddy Head*, Lubec (1808/1858)  
*Whitehead Light*, St. George (1807/1852)  
*Wood Island Light*, Biddeford (1808/1858)

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## **Appendix E ----- Boat Launching Sites on Saltwater/Tidal Rivers**

Addison, Pleasant River  
Augusta, Kennebec River  
Bar Harbor, Frenchman Bay  
Bath, Kennebec River  
Belfast, Belfast Bay  
Biddeford, Saco River  
Blue Hill, Blue Hill Harbor  
Boothbay, Linekin Bay  
Bowdoinham, Cathance River  
Brewer, Penobscot River  
Bristol, Pemaquid River  
Brunswick, Buttermilk Cove  
Brunswick, New Meadows River  
Brunswick, Middle Bay  
Calais, St. Croix River  
Chelsea, Kennebec River  
Cherryfield, Narraguagus River  
Damariscotta, Damariscotta River  
Edmunds Township, Cobscook Bay  
Eliot, Piscataqua River  
Ellsworth, Union River  
Frankfort, Penobscot River  
Gardiner, Kennebec River  
Hallowell, Kennebec River  
Hampden, Penobscot River  
Jonesport, Chandler Bay  
Lamoine, Frenchman Bay (2)  
Lubec, Johnson Bay  
Milbridge, Narraguagus River  
Penobscot, North Bay and Bagaduce River  
Perry, Passamaquoddy Bay  
Portland, Casco Bay  
Richmond, Kennebec River  
Robbinston, St. Croix River  
Rockland, Rockland Harbor  
Rockport, Rockport Harbor  
Saco, Saco River  
St. George, Port Clyde  
St. George, Tenants Harbor  
Scarborough, Nonesuch River  
Searsport, Searsport Harbor  
South Orrington, Penobscot River  
South Portland, Fore River  
Stockton Springs, Stockton Harbor  
Swans Island, Jericho Bay  
Tremont, Seal Cove  
Verona, Penobscot River  
Vinalhaven, Isle au Haut Bay  
Waldoboro, Medomak River  
Westport Island, Sheepscot River



## **Appendix F ----- Historical Societies/Museums Along the Coast**

*Allie Ryan Maritime Collection*, Castine, ME 04421  
*Bangor Historical Society*, 159 Union Street, Bangor, Me 04401  
*Bar Harbor Historical Society*, 34 Mt. Desert Street, Bar Harbor, ME 04609  
*Belfast Historical Society*, Ivy House, Belfast, ME 04915  
*Belfast Museum, Inc.*, 66 Church Street, Belfast, ME 04915  
*Berwick Historical Society*, Box 113, Berwick, ME 03901  
*Biddeford Historical Society*, McArthur Library, 270 Main Street, Biddeford, ME 04005  
*Blue Hill Historical Society*, Blue Hill, ME 04614  
*Boothbay Region Historical Society*, McKown Point, Boothbay Harbor, ME 04538  
*Border Historical Society*, Box 95, Eastport, ME, 04631  
*Brick Store Museum*, 117 Maine Street, Kennebunk, ME 04043  
*Brooksville Historical Society*, Brooksville, ME 04617  
*Bucksport Historical Society Museum*, Main Street, Bucksport, ME 04416  
*Bustins Island Historical Society*, Box 118, South Freeport, ME 04078  
*Camden Rockport Historical Society*, Box 897, Camden, ME 04843  
*Cape Elizabeth Historical Society*, Town Hall, Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107  
*Chapman Hall House Society*, Damariscotta, ME 04543  
*Chapman Hall House*, c/o Margaret Smith Inc., Gardiner, ME 04345  
*Cherryfield-Narraguagus Historical Society*, Main Street, Cherryfield, ME 04622  
*Cumberland and Oxford Canal Assn.*, 36 Lester Drive, Portland, ME 04103  
*Cumberland Historical Society*, Box 67, Cumberland, ME 04021  
*Cushing Historical Society*, Driftwood Farm, Cushing, ME 04563  
*Deer Isle Stonington Historical Society*, Deer Isle, ME 04627  
*East Machias Historical Society*, PO Box 108, East Machias, ME 04630  
*Eastport Historical Society*, RFD 1, Box 246, Franklin, ME 04634  
*Eliot Historical Society*, PO Box 16, Eliot, ME 03903  
*Ellsworth Historical Society*, Ellsworth, ME 04605  
*Falmouth Historical Society*, 91 Leighton Road, West Falmouth, ME 04105  
*Farnsworth Art Museum*, 19 Elm Street, Rockland, ME 04841  
*Freeport Historical Society*, 45 Main Street, Freeport, ME 04032  
*Friendship Museum*, Martin's Point Road, Friendship, ME 04547  
*Georges River Canal Assn*, RFD 1, Box 28, Warren, ME 04864  
*Georgetown Historical Society*, Box 411, Georgetown, ME 04548  
*Greater Portland Landmarks*, 165 State Street, Portland, ME 04101  
*Hancock County Trustees*, West Main Street, Ellsworth, ME 04605  
*Hancock Historical Society*, Hancock, ME 04640  
*Harpswell Historical Society*, RD 1, Box 833, Orrs Island, ME 04066  
*Historical Society - Town of Hancock*, Hancock, ME 04640  
*Islesboro Historical Society*, Islesboro, ME 04848  
*Kennebec Historical Society*, Leighton Road, Augusta, ME 04330  
*Kennebunk Historical Society Museum*, North Street, Kennebunk, ME 04046  
*Kennebunkport Historical Society*, PO Box 1173, Kennebunkport, ME 04046  
*Kittery Historical and Naval Museum*, Rogers Road, Kittery, ME 03904  
*Lamoine Historical Society*, Box 157, RFD 2, Ellsworth, ME 04605  
*Lubec Historical Society*, Lubec, ME 04652  
*Machiasport Historical Society*, Machiasport, ME 04655  
*Millbridge Historical Society*, Millbridge, ME 04658  
*Monhegan Museum*, Lighthouse Hill, Monhegan Island, ME 04852  
*Mount Desert Island Historical Society Museum*, Main Street, Somesville, ME 04660  
*Mount Mansell Historical Society*, Box 7, Bass Harbor, ME 04653  
*Mussel Ridge Historical Society*, Boz 83, Owls Head, ME 04854  
*North Haven Historical Society*, Webster Road, North Haven, 04853  
*Ocean Park Historical Society*, 72 Colby Ave, Ocean Park, ME 04063

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*Old Berwick Historical Society*, South Berwick, ME 03908  
*Old Orchard Beach Historical Society*, 4 Portland Ave, Old Orchard Beach, ME 04064  
*Old Sardine Village Museum*, County Road, Lubec, Maine 04652  
*Old York Historical Society*, PO Box 4312, York, ME 03909  
*Owls Head Transportation Museum*, Route 73, Knox County Airport, Owls Head, ME 04854  
*Pejepscot Historical Society*, 159 Maine Street, Brunswick, ME 04011  
*Penobscot Historical Society*, Route 1, Box 1, Penobscot, ME 04474  
*Phippsburg Historical Society*, Star Route, Phippsburg, ME 04562  
*Roosevelt Campobello International Park*, PO Box 97, Lubec, ME 04652  
*Saco Historical Society*, 37 Casco Road, Old Orchard Beach, ME 04064  
*Sagadahoc Preservation*, PO Box 322, Bath, ME 04530  
*Sailors' Memorial Museum and Lighthouse*, Grindle Point, Islesboro, ME 04848  
*Saint Croix Historical Society*, Homes Cottage, Main Street, Calais, ME 04619  
*Scarborough Historical Society*, 18 Dresser Road, Scarborough, ME 04074  
*Searsport Historical Society*, Searsport, ME 04974  
*South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Historical Society*, PO Box 2623, South Portland, ME 04106  
*Stockton Springs Historical Society*, PO Box 101, Stockton Springs, ME 04981  
*Sullivan/Sorrento Historical Society*, Box 124, Ashville, ME 04607  
*Tremont Historical Society*, Box 7, Bass Harbor, ME 04653  
*Vinalhaven Historical Society Museum*, High Street, Vinalhaven, ME 04683  
*Waldoboro Historical Society Museum*, Route 220, Waldoboro, ME 04572  
*Wells Ogunquit Historical Society*, Blanchard Street, Moody, ME 04054  
*Wilson Museum*, Perkins Street, Castine, ME 04421  
*Winter Harbor Historical Society*, Grindstone Neck, Box 344, Winter Harbor, ME 04693  
*Yarmouth Historical Society*, PO Box 107, Yarmouth, ME 04096  
*York Institute Museum*, 375 Main Street, Saco, ME 04072

## Appendix G ----- Land Trusts Along the Coast

*Biddeford Pool Improvement Association*, PO Box 254, Biddeford Pool, ME 04006. contact: Nancy Guignard (282-1691)

*Blue Hill Heritage Trust*, PO Box 222, Blue Hill, ME 04614. contact: Mrs. Jean Nickerson (567-3214)

*Boothbay Region Land Trust*, PO Box 93, East Boothbay, Maine 04544. contact: Lois E. Barge (633-2659)

*Brunswick/Topsham Land Trust*, PO Box 471, Topsham, ME 04086. contact: Jack Aley (729-7694)

*Camden/Rockport Land Trust*, PO Box 101, Rockport, ME 04856. contact: Polly Gates (236-2245)

*Cape Elizabeth Land Trust*, PO Box 265, Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107. contact: Nat Clifford (783-9104)

*Castine Conservation Trust*, Box 421, Castine, ME 04421. contact: Mrs. Margaret Booth (326-4644)

*Cumberland Mainland and Islands Trust*, PO Box 591, Cumberland, ME 04021. contact: Blanchard Bates (846-5716)

*Cushing Island Conservation Corporation*, Box 334 DTS, Portland, ME 04112. contact: Diane Nolan (772-8806)

*Cutler Association*, c/o Jasper Cates, Cutler, ME 04626. contact: Jasper Cates (259-3652)

*Damariscotta Lake Association*, RFD 1, Box 410, Nobleboro, ME 04555. contact: Art Davidson (563-1593)

*Damariscotta River Association*, Box 333, Damariscotta, ME 04543. contact: William Peterson (644-8287)

*Eastport Land Trust*, PO Box 30, Eastport, ME 04631. contact: Ms. Carol Bryan (853-4750)

*Falmouth Conservation Trust*, 40 Thornhurst Road, Falmouth, ME 04105. contact: Thomas Armstrong (283-3621)

*Forest City Land Trust*, 48 Free Street, Portland, ME 04101. contact: Thomas Jewell (774-2833)

*Freeport Conservation Trust*, RR1, Box 150, Freeport, ME 04032. contact: Andrew Cadot (774-2635)

*Frenchmans Bay Conservancy*, PO Box 606, Ellsworth, ME 04605. contact: Stephen Perrin (667-3636)

*Georges River Land Trust*, Box 239, South Thomaston, ME 04858. contact: Tino O'Brien (594-8043)

*Great Works Regional Land Trust*, PO Box 151, South Berwick, ME 03908. contact: Beverly Jones (676-3717)

*Greater Lovell Land Trust*, RR2, Box 391, Yarmouth, ME 04096. contact: Joan Irish (846-4271)

*Harpswell Heritage Trust*, c/o High Head Farm, South Harpswell, ME 04079. contact: William Locke (729-3667)

*Isle au Haut Land Conservation Trust*, c/o Frederick Eustis, PO Box 1422, Boston, MA 02104. contact: Frederick Eustis

*Islesboro Islands Trust*, PO Box 182, Islesboro, ME 04848. contact: Steve Miller (734-6907)

*Kennebunkport Conservation Trust*, PO Box 28, Cape Porpoise, ME 04014. contact: Thomas Bradbury (967-5673)

*Kittery Land Trust*, PO Box 159, Kittery, ME 03904. contact: Dean Bouffard, Esq. (439-6377)

*Laudholm Trust*, PO Box 1007, Wells, ME 04090. contact: Mort Mather (646-4521)

*Lincolnville Land Trust*, c/o Chris Osgood, 62 Congress Street, Belfast, ME 04915. contact: Chris Osgood (338-1155)

*Mid-coast Audubon Society*, PO Box 862, South Thomaston, ME 04858. contact: William Nickel (594-9011)

*Monhegan Associates, Inc.*, Monhegan, ME 04852. contact: Karen Cabot (725-2166)

*North Yarmouth Land Trust*, 26 Memorial Highway, Cumberland Center, ME 04021. contact: (829-5348)

*Oceanside Conservation Trust*, 443 Congress Street, Room 309, Portland, ME 04101. contact: Diane Nolan (772-8806)

*Oyster River Bog Association*, 20 Green Street, Thomaston, ME 04861. contact: Karl Brooks (354-8717)

*Pemaquid Watershed Association*, RR1, Box 744, Damariscotta, ME 04543. contact: Albert Rogers (529-5395)

*Phippsburg Land Trust*, HCR 31, Box 508, Bath, ME 04530. contact: John Doane (443-1217)

*Quoddy Regional Land Trust*, Box 49, Whiting, ME 04691. contact: Alan Brooks (733-2194)

*Ramanscho Land Preservation Trust*, PO Box 1164, Kennebunk, ME 04043. contact: Orton Jackson (967-3753)

*Scarborough Land Conservation Trust*, c/o Wallace Fengler, Mitchell Hill Road, Scarborough, ME 04074. contact: Stephen Shannon (883-2330)

*Sheepscot Valley Conservation Association*, PO Box 125, Alna, ME 04535. contact: Nicholas Barth (586-6455)

*South Portland Land Trust*, PO Box 2312, South Portland, ME 04106. contact: Tom Blake (799-5723)

*Stanwood Wildlife Sanctuary*, Box 485, Ellsworth, ME 04605. contact: Richard Whitney (667-5244)

*Vinalhaven Land Trust*, c/o Bodine Ames, Chestnut Street, Vinalhaven, ME 04863. contact: Bodine Ames (863-4824)

*York Land Trust*, RFD1, Box 225A, York, ME 04909. contact: Lynn Eaton (363-4397)

## **Appendix H      Information Services and Other Resource Listings**

- 1) Tourist Information: Available free of charge from: Maine Publicity Bureau  
97 Winthrop Street  
Hallowell, ME 04347 289-2423
- 2) Red Tide Advisory Telephone Numbers:  
New Hampshire to the Canadian Border: 207/289-2099  
Piscataqua River to Kennebec River: 207/879-4399  
Kennebec River to Penobscot River: 207/596-2264  
Penobscot River to the Canadian Border: 207/289-2211
- 3) Directory of Natural Resources Organizations (updated annually)  
Available for two dollars from: Land and Water Resources Center  
11 Coburn Hall, UMO  
Orono, ME 04469 (207/581-1490)
- 4) Environmental Resources Directory (1988)  
Available free of charge from: Department of Environmental Protection  
Office of Information and Education  
State House Station 17  
Augusta, ME 04333 (207/289-7688)
- 5) "Your Islands on the Coast": a flyer listing state-owned islands and guidelines for visiting them.  
Available free of charge from: Bureau of Parks and Recreation, Department of Conservation  
Station 22  
Augusta, ME 04333 (207/289-4900)
- 6) "Outdoors in Maine": a flyer listing Maine's state parks, historical societies, public reserved lands, boat launching sites, and snowmobile trails. Available free of charge from: Department of Conservation  
Station 22  
Augusta, ME 04333
- 7) "Coastal Choices: Deciding Our Future": a 32-page magazine with articles on 16 current coastal issues (e.g., working waterfronts, aquaculture, and shoreline access). Available free of charge from: Maine Coastal Program (see address on title page of this guide).

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## **The Maine Coastal Program**

In 1972, faced with burgeoning development along the nation's shores, the U.S. Congress enacted the Coastal Zone Management Act, which became the foundation for state's coastal programs. Unlike all other federal environmental legislation, the Act provides for a partnership among federal, state, and local government in cooperatively managing the nation's coastal resources.

Congress also took an unprecedented step by writing into law a provision that requires all federal activities in the coastal area to be consistent with the approved state program: no longer could the federal government perform or support activities that violated state laws. If a state has a federally approved program, the federal government cannot dredge, construct breakwaters, or federal housing, or conduct other activities that violate state laws.

In 1978, Maine implemented its coastal management program relying on 11 existing environmental and land use statutes (that pertain to air and water pollution, siting of large projects, construction in wetlands and along beaches, shoreland zoning, solid waste sites, and marine resources). The Maine Coastal Program (MCP) works in two distinct areas -- regulation, and planning and policy development.

### **Regulation**

At the state level, three state agencies implement the Maine Coastal Program through regulations: the Department of Marine Resources oversees fisheries management; the Department of Conservation (DOC), through the Land Use Regulation Commission, regulates land use activities in the state's unorganized territories; and the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) oversees various laws ranging from local shoreland zoning to oil and hazardous waste control. At the local level, 144 coastal towns are responsible for reviewing all subdivisions and activities within 250 feet of fresh or saltwater.

The state laws that constitute the Maine Coastal Program were at the forefront of environmental protection when they were enacted in the 1970s. In the last 15 years, though, development pressures along the coast have increased significantly and the need for more comprehensive environmental and use management legislation has become evident. The Program supports better licensing and enforcement of environmental laws, and informs Maine citizens so they can better comply with state and local statutes. The MCP continues to work with the Legislature, state agencies, municipalities, and others to strengthen implementation of these laws. In 1986, the Coastal Program developed a legislative initiative to improve state and local decisions affecting coastal resources. The initiative, which was supported by Legislators, the public, and local governments, was enacted into law and now provides a framework for coastal decision-making.

### **Planning and Policy Development**

The MCP supports local and state agencies working on coastal issues and has funded more than 500 local planning projects along Maine's coast. At the local level, for example, the MCP has helped towns prepare comprehensive plans, regional shoreline-access studies, and groundwater-use strategies. At the state level, the MCP has funded coastal wildlife studies, helped licensing and permitting of state laws, and analyzed Maine's fish-pier needs. The Program has also sought to develop public policies on how coastal resources are used -- for example, where new cargo ports should be located, how Maine aquaculture should be developed, and how state and local decisions affecting the coast should be made.



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